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**INNISFALLEN GREENHOUSES** 

HIS issue of our catalogue marks the thirty-third year in the history of the INNISFALLEN GREEN-HOUSES; during this period each succeeding year has witnessed a largely increased business, necessitating increased facilities. In the past year we have added 20,000 feet of glass and three and onehalf acres of land to our already large equipment, so that we now have one of the largest and most complete establishments in the world devoted to the production and handling of flowering and foliage plants, seeds, bulbs and nursery stock.

We take much pride in this growth as it shows reward of our effort to please and satisfy all who give us the opportunity, and we are grateful to all who have helped us to attain this end.

Our preparations for this season are complete and our several departments were never better prepared to to supply you, on short notice, with anything from a packet of seeds to a car load of fruit trees.

We invite a careful reading of this book and trust you will send in your orders early.

SCHEDULE OF CLUB RATES

We make the following inducements for the sending of LARGER ORDERS. Get your friends to order with you,

for the larger the order, the more you get for your money. Do not understand, however, that it is necessary to form a club, as an individual order is entitled to the same rates. Anyone who has time and does not wish to spare the money can thus secure their own plants without cost by soliciting their neighbors to unite with them in ordering.

SPECIAL NOTICE

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These Club Rates are not allowed on NURSERY Stock, pages 89-95; Special Offers and Collections, and

a few other articles where it is expressly stated must not be included in Club Rates. Nor can we allow any of these to be selected as premiums. They apply only to plants, bulbs and seeds at price per single plant, bulb or packet. Please remember this when ordering, and if possible keep above named exceptions separate from that part of your order entitled to Club Rates.

#### MAIL CLUB RATES

Plants, Etc., by Mail Postpaid

nyone sending us \$1.00 may select Plants, Bulbs and Seeds from Catalogue to value of 10 cents extra.

Anyone sending us \$2.00 may select Plants, Bulbs and Seeds from Catalogue to value of 30 cents extra-

Anyone sending us \$3.00 may select Plants, Bulbs and Seeds from Catalogue to value of 50 cents extra.

Anyone sending us \$4.00 may select Plants, Bulbs and Seeds from Catalogue to value of 75 cents extra.

Anyone sending us \$5.00 may select Plants, Bulbs and Seeds from Catalogue to value of \$1.00 extra.

Anyone sending us \$6.00 may select Plants, Bulbs and Seeds from Catalogue to value of \$1.50 extra.

Anyone sending us \$7.00 may select Plants, Bulbs and Seeds from Catalogue to value of \$1.75 extra. Anyone sending us \$8.00 may select Plants, Bulbs and Seeds from Catalogue to value of \$2.00 extra.

Anyone sending us \$9.00 may select Plants, Bulbs and Seeds from Catalogue to value of \$2.25 extra.

Anyone sending us \$10.00 may select Plants, Bulbs and Seeds from Catalogue to value of \$2.50 extra.

#### EXPRESS CLUB RATES

Plants, etc., sent by express, purchasers to pay charges when goods are received. The liberal rates here offered, together with the extras we always add. will far more than pay for the amount of the express charges.

Anyone sending us \$2.00 may select Plants, Bulbs and Seeds from Catalogue to value of 60 cents extra.

Anyone sending us \$3.00 may select Plants, Bulbs and Seeds from Catalogue to value of \$1.00 extra.

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These Rates Are Not Allowed on Special Collections, Trees, Small Fruits or Other Nursery Stock.

## OUR FALL CATALOGUE

ON THE FIRST OF SEPTEMBER we issue a Catalogue of Bulbs and Plants for Fall Planting and Winter Blooming, such as Hyacinths, Tulips, Narcissus, Crocus, Ixias, Freesias, etc. We mail this Catalogue to all of our customers of this and last year, and we also send it free to others who wish to order. Address all Letters and make Drafts, Money Orders, etc., Payable to

THE GEO. H. MELLEN CO., SPRINGFIELD, O.

INNISFALLEN GREENHOUSES

ESTABLISHED 1877

## SUGGESTIONS AND INFORMATION

FREE BY We send Seeds, Bulbs and Plants free by MAIL mail, unless otherwise stated in offer, at the prices named in this Catalogue to all e United States. This brings them to the points in the United States. very doors of our customers without trouble or expense. PLANTS BY We always recommend having plants sent by express where there are many ordered, and where there is an express office near, as we can usually send much larger plants, and do not have to which the soil off the roots, as is the case when sent by mail. When the weather is sufficiently warm we pack all express orders in light, strong jute board boxes (which we furnish free). Plants packed in this manner will carry nicely for a great distance and keep for a week or ten days in a fresh condition. Purchaser pays express charges, but our Liberal Express Club Rates far more than compensate for express charges. pensate for express charges.

WHEN BEST Order Early—We strive to fill orders
TO ORDER within a few days after they reach us,
but this is frequently made impossible
by the great rush of business about planting time. Do not wait until you need your seeds and bulbs before ordering. Anticipate planting time by getting your orders in early. If you do not wish your seeds or plants until some later date, we will get them ready and ship whenever desired. Unless otherwise instructed, we will be a support of the planting time. ship plants as soon as possible after receipt of order. HOW BEST By writing out your order on the Order TO ORDER
Sheets which accompany this Catalogue, you will greatly facilitate our work.

Please write only one variety on a line, and make a separate list of articles not entitled to Club Rates. Ad-

HOW TO SEND Keep each person's order separate, giving his or her full name, with the amount of the order. Then make your selection of the amount due you, naming plants desired as your discount.

ditional order sheets will be sent free on application.

HOW WE PACK
OUR CLUB ORDERS

have nothing to do plants are to be sent by mail and you desire them to be sent direct to the person, we will do so when their order amounts to \$1.00 or more.

BE SURE TO SIGN NAME Many Many orders reach us lacking either or both. Cus-tomers when writing about AND GIVE ADDRESS unsigned orders will aid us in identification by mentioning some of the articles ordered. We have a numtioning some of the articles ordered. We ber of unidentified orders on hand now.

REMITTANCES Should be made either in the form of P. O. Money Orders, Bank Draft, Express Money Order, or Registered Letter. Remitances in any other way are entirely at the sender's risk. When money is sent as above indicated we will send a plant or seeds of your selection, to amount of cost of money order, etc., if amount sent us is \$1.00 or more. United States Postage Stamps will be received if currency cannot be obtained.

RUIT DEPARTMENTS Are entirely separate. Often the seeds or plants on a combined order may be sent before balance of order is received, please wait a few days for the balance before writing us.

WE PACK ALL PLANTS CAREFULLY

of the country.

In strong boxes, which insure safe transit through mails to the remotest part

WE GUARANTEE That every package we send out shall reach its destination in good condition. If a package is lost, or any of its contents injured on the way, we will send again. Examine injured on the way, we will send again. Examine carefully on receipt and report within ten days should there be any cause for complaint. We do not guarantee that plants we send out will not be killed by drought, insects, accidents or frost after they are planted.

ALL PLANTS
PLAINLY LABELED with a printed label, and a printed sheet of cultural di-

rections is sent with each shipment.

OUR PLANTS ARE ALL And as long as any part of ON THEIR OWN ROOTS the plant remains it will produce uniformly the same beautiful flower. We grow them slowly to avoid forcing, our particular aim being to have a plant small enough to transport through the mail readily without injury, but with the vigor and thrift of much older plants. Consequently on being planted out a thousand miles away, the purchaser is surprised to see plants suddenly spring forth in luxuriant growth and blessom

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LOST ORDERS It occasionally happens that an order is lost in coming to us, or the goods in going to the customer; therefore, if any who order do not hear from us within a reasonable length of time, they should send a duplicate order, naming the date on which the former one was sent, and the amount of money enclosed and in what form. This will enable us to investigate the matter and fill the duplicate order with dispatch.

ALL ORDERS Whether large or small, receive from us the same uniform, prompt and care-We fill all in the order of their recepful attention. tion. We wish our customers to remember that it is our determination to please all who deal with us, and we should like to hear from every package we send out. If the purchaser is satisfied, it is pleasant to know it; if not, we intend that he or she become so.

OUR TERMS ARE No order sent C. O. D. unless a remittance of one-fourth of the amount of the order be made to guarantee the acceptance.

CANADA As postage to Canada is double the United POSTAGE
States domestic rate, we must ask our Canadian friends to send 10 cents extra for each \$1.00 worth ordered. Do not send Canada postage stamps or silver, as we cannot use or dispose of them. OUTDOOR We are often asked the best time to

PLANTING plant. Always choose the most favorable time in your locality, and order accordingly. We can send most plants safely when desired. As there are so many degrees of latitude, and such varieties of temperature from various causes, it is impossible to dictate as to the precise time to plant out of doors. Customers must judge of this for themselves always remembering that it is not safe to themselves, always remembering that it is not safe to

plant out until all danger of freezing is past, and the ground is warm, in mellow condition.

YOU CAN HAVE THE Geraniums and other plants in our collection as easily and cheaply as though they

were grown at your own door, if you remit as above directed. We will take all of the risk, and promise to deliver any plants you may select from our Catalogue in good growing condition.

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## WORD ABOUT EXPRESS CHARGES

Some Florists are offering to prepay express charges on certain orders, but when so sent the soil is removed from the roots of the plants, and they are packed the same as for mail, the cost for sending being no more than it would be if the plants were sent by United States Mail.

We are willing to send any plant order by prepaid express, if so requested, provided you are willing to have the plants come to you WITHOUT SOIL ON THE ROOTS, and that your selection is made strictly in ascordance with our Mail Club Rates. All plants, except dormant stock, that we send by express, charges to be paid by the purchaser, are packed with some soil on the roots, thus insuring their uninterrupted growth when received. We pack as light as possible consistent with safety, and our customers have the benefit of from 20 to 33 per cent. reduction from regular merchandise express rates. The weight and correct charge for collection will be plainly marked on each express tag; if different amount is collected, take receipt of agent, send it to us, and we will see that any overcharge is refunded to you.

IF PLANTS ARE TO BE SENT BY EXPRESS, ALWAYS MENTION BY WHICH EXPRESS COMPANY YOU WISH THEM SENT. Having the rival companies—Adams, American, Pacific, Southern, United States and Wells Fargo & Co., they connecting with all other companies—we can have the goods billed through at the lowest possible rates.

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## OUR COLOR ILLUSTRATIONS

#### The Four Hardy Ever-Blooming Roses

Which we illustrate in colors on first page of cover, will, we trust, find favor with our customers. They are the most satisfactory varieties of recent introduction; are splendid ever-bloomers and are hardy throughtion; are splendid ever-bloomers and are hardy throughout the country. As is our custom in making up collections for the color plate, we have selected varieties showing marked contrast in color, hardiness, vigor of growth and abundance of bloom, so that purchasers may rest assured, in obtaining this collection, that they will procure four of the best garden Roses. Even the smallest size will, under ordinary conditions, give an abundance of bloom, but the two-year-old plants will bloom earlier and more profusely the first year.

Price, 60 cents for set of four; same in large two-year-old plants, \$1.20. (Shown in colors on first page of cover.)

#### Blumenschmidt

Pure citron-yellow, outer petals edged tender rose, a sport from Franzisca Kruger which it resembles in form, and which has a more vigorous growth. Winner of three first premiums. Price, 15 cents each; two-year-old plants, 40 cents each.

#### Dean Hole

An intense salmon-pink, with bud of extraordinary length, opening into a mammoth bloom of splendid substance. An English gold medal Rose that is bound to rank with the very best in this country. A fine grower. Price, 20c each; two-year-old plants, 40c each.

#### Kaiserin Augusta Victoria

The Best White Rose in the World.

This beautiful Rose has not only a Royal name, but is a royal Rose as well. We have elegant white Roses that have elegant buds, but when full blown are not all that is desired. Then again we have white Roses that are elegant when full blown, but have poor buds. that are elegant when full blown, but have poor buds. This Rose combines both these good qualities. It is a continuous bloomer, producing successive crops of buds, and formed with large petals of best substance; shows no center when fully open; color pure creamywhite. It far surpasses any other white Rose in all particulars, and has a much richer perfume. Price, 15 cents each; nice two-year-old plants, 30 cents.

#### Laurent Carle

An extremely vigorous grower of erect branching habit and fine dark green foliage; long buds are borne on long stems, opening into large flowers of perfect form, just full enough to open freely; color brilliant velvety-carmine; a very promising variety. Price, 20 cents each; nice two-year-old plants, 40 cents each.

#### Veilchenblau THE VIOLET BLUE ROSE

(Shown in color on page 4 of cover.)

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This season there is indeed a new climbing Rose, called Veilchenblau (Violet Blue), brought into commerce by J. C. Schmidt, of Erfurt, Germany. Judging the new Violet Blue by its origin, we may anticipate high value. But even the most critical judge will recognize this variety to be meritorious, not only in its quite new color, but also in its growing qualities. It is a seedling of Crimson Rambler and grows at least as quickly and vigorously. It is, at any rate, one of the most vigorous of climbing varieties, and its thick, deep green foliage adds another merit. The flowers are borne in large trusses; they are slightly double or even single, pretty large, and of a deep purplish-violet, with light violet center, and prominent yellow anthers. The color is not quite the same in the different stages color is not quite the same in the different stages The color is not quite the same in the different stages of the flower; it passes from a more reddish lilac tint when opening to amethyst-blue, and at last to a metallic bluish slate color. It is a novelty whose qualities will be appreciated by everybody. We may add that as a variety for growing in pots, it is as useful as Crimson Rambler. Price, 25c each, five for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, 75c each, three for \$2.00.

White Baby Rambler (Catherine Zeimet)—A very important novelty. Shown in colors on page 4 of cover. See description on page 18. Price, 10 cents each, six for 50 cents, or fifteen for \$1.00. Strong, two-year-old plants, 30 cents each, or five for \$1.00.

#### FIVE BEST HARDY LILIES FOR SUMMER BLOOMING

(Shown in colors on second page of cover.) One each of these five grand Lilies for 75 cents.

#### Lilium Auratum, The Golden-Rayed Lily

This grand summer flowering sort is now considered Queen of Lilies. It produces its handsome richly colored flowers in large clusters, as shown in the illustration, and blooms profusely from June to October. When tion, and blooms profusely from June to October. When expanded, flowers measure from eight to ten inches in diameter; are composed of six pure white petals, each of which is distinctly striped the whole length with a clear yellow-golden band and thickly studded with crimson spots. Gracefully formed, deliciously fragrant, Large, sound bulbs, imported direct from Japan, price. 30 cents each; three for 75 cents.

#### Speciosum Monstrosum Album

Among the showlest of all Lilies and perhaps the most robust and the most radiantly beautiful. Very fragrant and hardy, with broad, flat stems and immense heads of flowers—often fifty flowers in a cluster. No garden complete without some. Price, 25 cents each; three for 65 cents.

Longiflorum

Bermuda grown. Widely used for forcing for Easter holidays. Its flowers have more substance and last longer in bloom than the Bermuda Lily. Quite hardy and beautiful in the open ground, blooming in June and July. Flowers snow-white and trumpet-shaped; very fragrant. Price, 20 cents each; three for 50 cents.

## Double Tiger Lily

This magnificent Lily is borne in immense clusters on tall stems; the flowers are very large, frequently six inches across, and very double; color deep fiery red, spotted with black. Price, 15c each; two for 25c.

Lily Speciosum Rubrum

One of the most popular and satisfactory of all Lilies; is considered by many as the finest of all Lilies. Flowers are bright crimson and white spotted. Splendid large flowers, borne in clusters; stem two to three feet. Price, 25 cents each; three for 65 cents.

#### THREE FINEST HYDRANGEAS

(Shown in colors on page 3 of cover.) A species of woody shrubs peculiarly adapted to pot culture.

One each of these three beautiful Hydrangeas from 2½-inch pots for 35 cents. Same in large, well-branched, field grown plants, 70 cents.

#### Otaksa Montrosa

New Hydrangea.

A grand novelty. Color of bloom intense rose, shaded white; borne in much larger clusters than Otaksa, quite small plants bearing blooms of enormous size, which are very lasting in quality. The variety is free in growth and very free in the production of bloom; one of the finest novelties of the year. Price, 15c each; large, well-branched, field grown plants, 25c.

#### Ramus Pictus

Red Branched Hydrangea.

We consider this variety the most elegant Hydrangea for pot culture or for tubs grown. It is much handsomer than Otaksa, the foliage being darker green, with black stems, making it very distinct, flowers rosy-carmine, changing to blue, the dark green foliage and purple-black stems being in contrast with rosy-carmine flowers. Price, 15 cents each; large, well-branched, field grown plants, 30 cents.

#### Thomas Hogg

Pure White Hydrangea.

A pure white variety with trusses of flowers measuring fifteen inches in diameter. The plants, when full grown, attain a length and width of six feet. Perfectly hardy, and is one of the finest plants for cemeteries. Price, 10 cents each; large, well-branched, field grown plants, 25 cents.



that they are so easily grown, and that they can be procured at so trifling an expense. All that is necessary to have them grown and bloom freely is to plant them in a bed of deep, fresh, loamy soil, well enriched with thoroughly rotted manure, and they are certain to do as well as a bed of Geraniums.

The Springfield method of growing Roses, which originated in our establishment thirty years ago, and has been adopted by all the growers here, is to propagate them in the summer, give them a rest in the winter in cold greenhouses, and in spring they are ready for duty with full strength and vigor. The Rose must have a rest each and every year if the best results are to be obtained—this is but natural.

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Springfield is known as the world's center for the growing of fine Rose plants, and the large number of greenhouse establishments here count their annual output by the millions. This and our constantly growing business is good evidence that our "methods" are all right.

ROSES ALL ON THEIR OWN ROOTS—Our Roses are all grown from cuttings and are consequently ALL ON THEIR OWN ROOTS. If they are inclined to sprout from the roots, they should be encouraged to do so, as young, vigorous shoots produce the finest flowers; they CANNOT THROW UP WILD SHOOTS, because root and top are the same. As long as any part of the plant or root remains it will produce the same beautiful flower. We do not send out any budded or grafted Roses.

## **OUR "GIANT" COLLECTION OF LARGE**

## Two=Year=Old **Ever-Blooming Roses** FOR IMMEDIATE EFFECT

These large Roses have become so popular among our customers that we devote a great deal of room to them, growing them in constantly increasing number. This spring we have a heavy stock and offer many thousand bushes at the very low figures given. We can usually furnish all the varieties enumerated in the catalogue.

These bushes are two years old, strong and healthy. They make, of course, more of an appearance from the first than does the smaller stock, having practically a year the advantage in all respects-an advantage for which we find many persons willing to incur the addi-

The selection must be left to us, and we will send only strictly high-grade Roses. All will be different, and all correctly labeled.

We will send three different varieties of large, twoyear-old Roses for 50 cents. by mail.



A fair sample of a two-year-old Rose from our Giant Collections.

# A SPECIAL SELECTION OF

## Novelties and Late Introductions in Roses

Price, 15 cents each, except where noted; any four for 50 cents. Two=year=old plants, 35 cents each; any four for \$1.00.



Rhea Reid.

#### RHEA REID

A Rose of the type of the American Beauty, but of the easiest culture. It never mildews or black-spots, and opens its large flowers perfectly under all weather conditions. In color it varies with the temperature, in summer a bright cherry-rose, while in winter it is a rich crimson-scarlet.

#### COUNTESS OF DERBY

Center salmon, shading into delicate peach; large, full, free and vigorous in growth; bud sharply pointed in the center, stems stiff and upright. Delightfully fragrant.

#### DR. CAMPBELL HALL

Coral rose; suffused white, base of petals yellow; a charming rose, flowers large, full and perfectly formed; very free.

#### CLIMBING KILLARNEY

Climbing Killarney is a sport of the now popular cutflower Rose Killarney and excels any variety of its class and color ever introduced. Anticipating that it will immediately become popular, we have propagated a good stock of it, and can guarantee every plant sent out to be true to name. Climbing Killarney makes a strong growth with a beautiful deep bronzy-green foliage, bearing its long, pointed buds and flowers on heavy shoots and canes. The color is an exquisite shade of deep brilliant pink. Flowers immense in size with petals of great substance and delightful fragrance. A great new Rose. Price, 25 cents each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 40 cents each.

## THE NEW IRISH EVER-BLOOMING ROSE KILLARNEY

KILLARNEY

A very beautiful Hybrid Tea Rose. The color is an exquisite shade of deep shell-pink lightened with silvery-pink. The base of the petals is a soft silverywhite, relieved with enough yellow to make it more attractive. The buds are exceptionally long and beautifully formed, the open flower is graceful in the extreme. It is free in growth, strong, heavy shoots, which are crowned with buds. This has become a great favorite for winter flowers and is worthy of the high place it has attained. It has proven hardy in this climate without protection. In the garden the flowers are very lasting, the coloring remaining clear and bright to the last. It has a delicate Tea Rose fragrance.

#### MME. MAURICE DE LUZE

Deep rose with warm cochineal center, reverse of petals lighter. A vigorous grower, with fine erect branching habit. Very large flowers, opening into a cupped form. Foliage bright; superb buds on stiff stems.

#### MME, EDMOND SABLAYROLLES

Clear yellow without, interior golden orange; flower enormously large, extremely double, from fine, long buds.

## HARDY EVER-BLOOMING ROSE MRS. THEODORE ROOSEVELT

This beautiful Rose is a seedling of "La France," much stronger in growth and has a better constitution. The freedom of bloom is remarkable, small plants begin blooming at once and produce flowers in continuous succession throughout the season. The buds are full, long and pointed; the open flowers never show a center and remain fresh and pleasing for a remarkably long time. The color is creamywhite with pink shadings in the depths of the petals, the coloring being pronounced in the center. It is a grand Rose for the garden; its freedom of bloom and of magnificent flowers render it extremely valuable. It is deliciously fragrant.

#### MRS. AARON WARD

One of the most delightful Roses of recent years in a color that catches the eye at once—a deep goldenorange color, shading out to creamy-yellow at the edge of the petals; the buds are cupped and very deep, showing the glowing heart to the best advantage. A fine, strong grower, with dark foliage.

#### MY MARYLAND

Hybrid Tea. This splendid American introduction is destined to become one of the most popular varieties in cultivation. Large, full, double flowers, a pleasing shade of salmon-pink. Distinct and beautiful. Splendid for forcing.

#### ROSE GUBERT (Tea)

Color canary-yellow, deepening at the center; bud long, producing a large flower. Extremely free in growth and bloom.

#### RUTH VESTAL (Climbing Bride)

This grand new Rose will immediately become popular. It is identical with its parent, The Bride, in flower, while it greatly excels it in growth, showing strongly the climbing habit, making it one of the most desirable Roses to be had, especially for the southern states. The buds are of grand size, and are carried on high and erect stems, and the flowers are unsurpassed for purity of whiteness.



Champion of the World. Mme. Abel Chatenay. Mme. Jenny Guillemot. Etoile de France,

## SUPERB COLLECTION OF EVER-BLOOMING HYBRID TEA ROSES

■HE HYBRID TEA AND BOURBON ROSES are the hardiest of the ever-bloomers, standing the winter in the northern latitudes with but little protection, and are perfectly hardy south of the Ohio River without any protection whatever. They bloom constantly throughout the summer. The flowers increase in size and beauty as the weather becomes cooler, coming into perfection in autumn.

This is, we believe, the most popular class of Roses now in cultivation. These varieties are the result of a union between the Ever-blooming Teas and the Hardy Hybrid Perpetual class, thus combining the exquisite richness of coloring and beauty of form in the one with the hardiness, vigorous growth and pungent fragrance of the other. The following collection has no equal. Price, 10 cents each, except where noted; any five for 50 cents; any twelve for \$1.00. Two-year-old plants, 30 cents each, three for 75 cents; any six for \$1.50.

#### ANTOINE RIVOIRE

A handsome new Rose of vigorous habit of growth, with large, full, Camellia-shaped flowers. Color rosyflesh, on a yellow ground, shaded with a border of carmine; flowers five inches in diameter.

#### BESSIE BROWN

(Hybrid Tea.) We know no better way to impress upon our customers the great value of this variety than to say that it is as strong growing, as free blooming, as attractive, and as hardy as any of the Hybrid Tea class, a Rose whose beauty has taken the country by storm. We regard it as one of the finest Roses in cultivation. The flowers are very large and highly built and double; color is a creamy-white with a beautiful shade of pale, tender flesh, resembling gloss silk. It is highly scented and a most magnificent Rose in the open ground. Price, 15 cents each.

#### CHERRY RIPE

An extraordinary free-flowering H. T., branching in habit, vigorous and hardy, and as free as a Tea Rose. The flowers are medium in size, well formed, globular, light rosy-crimson; as fragrant as American Beauty. Price, 15 cents each.

#### CHAMPION OF THE WORLD

Everyone wants a hardy ever-blooming Rose. From early summer until frost it can be depended upon to produce flowers in abundance; color rich glossy-pink, delightfully fragrant, and such a strong, vigorous grower that it is almost invulnerable against attacks of insects.

#### **CLARA WATSON**

A free-blooming Tea Rose of English origin, with many distinct features. The flowers are very grace-ful, resembling Bridesmaid in form, and are produced in remarkable profusion. For freedom of bloom this variety is specially valuable. The color is salmonpink, very difficult to describe. Price, 15 cents each.

#### CROWN PRINCESS VICTORIA, or WHITE MALMAISON

This Rose is one of the loveliest of all Roses. The color is a pure, waxy snow-white; the center of the flower has a lemon tint, just enough to lighten up and brighten it.

#### **ETOILE DE FRANCE**

The gold medal Rose of France, and claimed by the The gold medal Rose of France, and claimed by the raiser, J. Pernet Ducher, of Lyons, France, to be the finest Rose he has ever sent out. We believe with him that it has no superior; flowers very large and borne on good, long, stiff stems; color a lovely shade of clear, red crimson-velvet; very fragrant and keeps well. In England, where it has been tried extensively during the past season, it has caused quite a sensation. Good grower, free bloomer, fine rich color, deliciously fragrant. Price, 15 cents each.

#### GENERAL MacARTHUR

Dazzling crimson-scarlet. One of the grandest red Roses ever offered. Buds are of ideal shape and exquisite perfume, making the variety very desirable for cut-flowers; while its clear, glossy foliage, generous bloom, and brilliaricy of color demand recognition in the garden. Price, 15 cents each.

#### HERMOSA-THE OLD FAVORITE

Everybody knows this famous variety. It has been held in high esteem for many years and will always be popular, as it embraces so many desirable traits that go to make up the ideal Rose. It is hardy as an oak and always covered with its clear pink blooms.

#### **GRUSS AN TEPLITZ**

As a bedding Rose this is one of the firest and most useful varieties ever sent out. The color is brightest scarlet, shading to deep, rich velvety-crimson. It is very fragrant. The freest grower and the most profuse of any ever-bloomer. The mass of color produced is wonderful, and the foliage is extremely beautiful, all the younger growth being a bronzy-plum color. A queen among scarlet bedders. It is a perfect sheet of richest crimson-scarlet all summer. richest crimson-scarlet all summer.

#### HELEN GOULD

This is probably the most beautiful and satisfactory Rose for general planting ever introduced in America. It has proved itself to be the strongest growing, freest blooming, largest flowering and hardiest Rose in existblooming, largest howering and hardlest Rose in exist-ence. It is a better Rose for general planting than American Beauty—the dream and hope of every Rose grower for years past. The flowers are full and per-fectly double, the buds beautifully made, long and pointed. The color is warm rosy-crimson like the color of a ripe red watermelon. It is as hardy as La France.

#### HELEN GAMBIER

Great Yellow Garden Rose. The growth is free and vigorous, very free-blooming, flowers of splendid substance and a delightful shade of deep rich goldenyellow. In extreme heat comes a deep amber color. The buds are full and firm, lasting a long time when cut. As the flowers expand the center of the Rose discloses depths of golden-yellow, with light orange tints, while the outer petals lessen to lemon-yellow, giving a combination of tints and tones unequaled in their heautry.

#### **HUGH WATSON**

Crimson shaded carmine; blooms very large and of the finest finish; growth vigorous, branching and free; very fragrant.

#### LUCIEN DE LEMOS

A large, globular Hybrid Tea, with very large outer petals on long, upright stalks; warm pink, center rosy-white; flowers durable and fragrant; free in bloom; a nice grower. Price, 15 cents each.

#### LADY BATTERSEA

This variety has long pointed buds of the largest size and very striking in form; the color is bright cherry-crimson; the stems are stiff and extremely long; a vigorous grower and free in bloom.

#### MME. SCHWALLER

A remarkable Rose, having the strength and style of the Hybrid Perpetual and the free-bowering qualities of the Tea; color deep rosy-flesh, deepening on edge of petals.

#### MADAME JENNY GILLEMOT

Buds long and pointed, deep saffron-yellow, opening canary with dark golden shadings; blooms large, petals immense; opens very freely; a fine upright grower of branching habit; exquisitely beautiful; very large in size, but very long and pointed. Price, 15 cents each.

#### MME, ABEL CHATENAY

A wonderfully strong, healthy growing variety with rich, bright foliage. A grand bedding Rose, as it is a profuse and continuous bloomer. Flowers large and full, petals recurve and of a beautiful creamy-rose. Shaded rose-vermilion and tinged with salmon. The base of the petals is very highly colored. Flowers borne on long stems. Exceedingly well adapted for vases of cut flowers. vases of cut flowers.



## Superb Collection of Ever = Blooming Hybrid Tea Roses

(CONTINUED.)

Price, 10 cents each, except where noted; any five for 50 cents; any twelve for \$1.00. Two-year-old plants, 30 cents each, three for 75 cents; any six for \$1.50.

MADAME JULES GRO (Red Kaiserin.) From exquisite bud to the full shapely flower, this new Hybrid Tea Rose is superb. Color soft China rose, passing to clear satiny-pink. MADAME LEON PAIN Robust growth; smooth wood; handsome plum colored foliage; flowers large, full and free in opening; silvery-salmon, center orange-yellow, reverse bright red and yellow. Price, 15 cents each. MME. MELANIE SOUPERT A good grower, quickly forming a well branched bush, foliage bronzy-green, flowers very large, almost full and globular; immense cupped petals; color golden-yellow suffused bright pink. An extraordinarily fine Rose, promising to force readily, as the growths are slender, stiff and freely produced. MLLE. SIMONE BAUMEZ A vigorous grower with long willowy stems; very large flowers of exquisite form, high pointed center and outer petals beautifully reflexed—flesh-white with shining texture; a beautiful variety. METEOR Rich velvety-crim-son, exceedingly bright and attractive. One of our best gen-eral utility red Roses. The plant is of vigorfree-flowering; a constant bloomer. Fine for summer bedding or **PINK LA FRANCE** 

It is of superb form and double as a Rose can be. No variety can surpass it in del-

can surpass it in deficate coloring; silveryrose shaded with pink. It has a satin sheen over all
its petals. It is most universally regarded as the
most useful of Roses, as it is hardy beyond question.
It blooms continuously. The flower is large, finely
built, endures for a great length of time, is exquisitely colored and fragrant in the highest degree.

#### PERNET'S TRIUMPH

The flowers are extra large, having broad, thick petals, and long, tapering buds, with delicious tea fragrance. Color a fine, clear magenta-red, sometimes passing to a bright crimson. Very striking and beautiful, and of such good substance that the flowers retain their beauty for a long time.

#### RED LA FRANCE

Color a rich, deep, even pink throughout. The growth of the plant is vigorous, the habit good and the flowers, which are thrown up well above the foliage, are produced very freely. Price, 15 cents.

#### STRIPED LA FRANCE

This beautiful new Rose is free in bloom; nicely striped. A beautiful bright Rose on a satin-pink ground. Very distinct and showy.

#### SOUV. DE PRESIDENT CARNOT

A charming new French Rose. A strong, clean, healthy grower, with handsome bronzy-green foliage and large, elegant shaped buds. The flower is of large size, of exquisite shape, with heavy, thick shell-like petals; buds long and pointed, similar to Niphetos, but very much larger and all borne on long, stiff, erect stems. Color a delicate rosy-flesh, shaded a triffe deeper at center. Very profuse bloomer. Price, 15 cents each. cents each.

#### WHITE LA FRANCE

It is identical with La France, except in color. Pure white, sometimes tinted with fawn.

#### SOUVENIR DE WOOTTON

Pink La France. Red La France. Striped La France. White La France.

An old-time Rose which is so good that it has re-An old-time Rose which is so good that it has re-tained all of its popularity. A strong, sturdy grower, with enough vigor to sustain the immense number of flowers it produces. Blooms large, full and regular, with leathery petals and pronounced fragrance. Bright magenta-red, passing at the base to violet-crimson; richly shaded. Price, 15 cents each.

#### Beautiful New Pink Rose, WELLESLEY

This grand Rose, raised by Alex. Montgomery, "Liberty" crossed with "Bridesmaid," retains the form of "Liberty" with the fullness of "Bridesmaid" and in color is a beautiful shade of pink, the outside of the petals being bright and clear, with a silvery reverse. It is a very vigorous, healthy grower, carrying the flowers on long, stiff stems, which are clothed with heavy, dark green foliage. It is remarkably free flowering and possesses unusually fine keeping qualities. For a garden or bedding Rose it has no equal. Price, 15 cents each. 15 cents each.

#### WM. R. SMITH

A most promising summer bedder with beautiful firm, glossy foliage, quite like Cochet in appearance and durability; very vigorous in growth, with flowers of heavy texture; color, creamy-white with shadings of pink. Succeeds admirably in the open ground, bringing fine blooms on long stiff stems. Hardy with light protection. Price, 15 cents each.



Garden Collection No. 1—For list of varieties and price of this collection see page 17.

## Our "Garden Collection" of Choice Ever-Blooming Tea Roses

The Roses in this collection are highly valued because of their fine colors and exquisite tea fragrance. They will bloom freely from June until November, even the one-year-old size (two-year-old plants of course will bloom more). This is a collection of Roses that no real Rose lover can afford to miss; some of them are particularly famous for the large size, beauty and brilliant colors of the blossoms. They bloom freely, flowering not only once, but all summer through. If planted in the spring so that they may become thoroughly established during the summer, they will, with few exceptions, prove hardy here, with protection during the winter. We wish to remind our friends of the superior quality of these plants; they are the product of years of experience and our own improved method of culture, which insures plants of the greatest possible vitality and abundance of bloom. We wish it were possible to show you a sample flower from each one of the Roses in this collection. You would be delighted with their exquisite beauty of form and color. The only reason we do not say more about them is, simply, because there is not room in our catalogue. Examine the list carefully. carefully.

Price, 10 Cents Each, Any Six for 50 Cents; Large Two-Year-Old Plants, 25 Cents Each; Any Five for \$1.00.

ALLIANCE FRANCO-RUSSE

A new Rose of exquisite kind and color, ranked by many enthusiasts as the best yellow Tea Rose. The flowers are of large size, perfectly double to the center, and perfect in shape, both in bud and blossom. The color is magnificent—deep, rich lemon-yellow, with creamy-yellow center with tints of sulphur. It is beautiful beyond description. A strong, healthy grower and one of the grandest Roses in this book.

ARCHDUKE CHARLES

Rich, bright red, large, full and double, early and constant bloomer; very hardy and good.

BEAUTY INCONSTANT

Color bright capucine-red, shaded and lined with

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Color bright capucine-red, shaded and lined with deep carmine and bright yellow. A novel and distinct Rose. The colors are variable and often upon a single plant there are what to the casual observer would be three different varieties of Roses. The flowers are semi-double, and the buds are long, well formed and very desirable for cut flowers and wearing.

BURBANK

A perfectly hardy, free flowering, ever-blooming Rose. The flowers are double, of fine form, nearly three inches across. The color is a deep rose-plink, shading to a beautiful soft rose at the center. The petals are well incurved, so that the center is hidden. In September and October the outer petals change to a deep, rich carmine. Delightfully fragrant.

BON SILENE

Noted for the great size and beauty of its buds, which are valued very highly for bouquets, deep rose color, sometimes bright rosy crimson; splendid for outdoor cultivation.

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BOUGERE

This is a superb Rose; extra large, very double and full; exceedingly sweet tea scent; color bronze-rose or violet-crimson, delicately shaded with lilac.

BEAU CARMINE

A splendid Rose for bedding; fine carmine-red, with rich, velvety color; flowers large, full and double; constant and profuse bloomer; fragrant and very desir-

BRIDESMAID The most popular pink Tea Rose. Thousands of this variety are grown every year for cut flowers, and it is also very desirable for summer bedding out of doors. It is a delightful shade of bright pink, very

free flowering and easily grown.

CATHERINE MERMET

One of the finest, Roses grown. Faultless in form and charming in every shade of color, from the purest

silvery-rose to the exquisite combining of yellow and rose, which illumines the base of the petals.

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CLOTHILDE SOUPERT

Color a French white, deepening to a rosy-blush in the center, exceeding in distinctness of shadings the well known Malmaison. Its greatest value lies in its compact, vigorous habit and wonderful profusion of bloom. Form and substance of the flowers are so perfect that the hottest, weather does not cause a deterioration of either, so that even in midsummer a bouquet of splendid buds and open flowers can be obtained from this fine variety.

CORNELIA COOK

The buds are of immense size, borne up high on

The buds are of immense size, borne up high on massive stems and with their round, full, heavy form, carry an air of dignity and grace quite unusual flowers are of the clearest, snowiest white.

COQUETTE DE LYON

Vigorous rapid grower and constant bloomer; pure

canary-yellow.

COMTESSE RIZA DU PARC
A fine all round Rose. Valuable for bedding and house culture; a strong hardy grower, constant and abundant bloomer; color soft rosy-crimson, very sweet and handsome.

CHRISTINE DE NOUE—Double Pava Gontler
This beautiful new red Tea is a very charming Rose.
The flowers are well borne upon strong stems and are
unusually large and handsome. The buds are long
and finely pointed, and the color is a clear, rich maroon
or deep, purplish-red, passing to lake, center sometimes streaked with silvery-white. The petals are
finely imbricated and the flowers are deliciously sweet.

CHARLES ROVOLLI

A charming Tea Rose. Large globular flowers; full and sweet; color, a lovely shade of brilliant carmine, changing to silver-rose; center and base of petals clear golden-yellow.

DR. GRILL

Coppery-yellow, with fawny-rose reflex. An entirely new color and one of great brilliance. The outer petals are large, round, and shell-shaped, and inclose a mass of shorter petals, which are of a brilliant color. A grand garden Rose.

DEVONIENSIS

On account of its whiteness and sweetness, often called the "Magnolia Rose." Creamy-white, delicately flushed in the center with pink. One of the most fragrant Roses and a favorite of long standing."

DUCHESS OF EDINBURG

In great demand for its lovely buds and remarkable for its beautiful color, which is the most intense glowing crimson imaginable.

DAVID PRADEL

A wonderfully profuse bloomer, producing on long, straight shoots, quantities of deliciously scented, beautifully formed flowers, double to the center and of the largest size. The color is a blending of lilac and rose, with a delicate and rich crimson center.

DUCHESSE de BRABANT

This Rose combines exquisite perfume, beautiful coloring and matchless profusion of flowers and foliage. Soft, light rose, with heavy shading of amber and Quite hardy.

ETOILE DE LYON

This magnificent Tea Rose, south of the Ohio River, has proved to be perfectly hardy. Blooms in the greatest profusion and each bud is a gem. Flowers are very large, double, full and deliciously fragrant. The color is a beautiful chrome-yellow, deepening at center to pure golden-yellow.

FRANCOIS DUBREUIL

Fine, large double flowers, which, in color, are equal to the best of our deep-colored Hybrid Perpetuals. The flowers are large, very full and double, with thick, regularly arranged petals. Color is red, with velvety shadings; rich and very fragrant.

FREIHERR VON MARSCHALL

As an outdoor Rose it has no superior. The flowers are large, beautifully shaped, double and full, and borne in wonderful profusion all through the growing season. It is bright red, one of the brightest, if not the very richest colored Tea Rose in existence, fine, long, well-shaped buds.

GENERAL TARTAS

A first-class Rose for bedding. Brilliant carmine, deeply shaded with violet-purple; extra large, very double, full and fragrant.

GEN. ROBERT E. LEE

Orange-yellow. It is a good grower, has elegant long buds, borne on long stems. It forces easily, being at its best in midwinter. The color is so peculiar and rich that it attracts attention wherever seen.

GOLDEN GATE

The flowers are extra large, very full and finely formed, and of excellent substance; the buds are long and of the most desirable form; the color is rich creamy-white, beautifully tinged with fine golden-yellow. The petals are large and broad and exquisitely bordered and tinted with clear rose, making altogether a Rose of the rarest and most indescribable beauty. In short, we can heartly recommend it as one of the finest and most beautiful Tea Roses grown.

HENRY M. STANLEY

The color is a rare and remarkably beautiful shade of clear amber rose, delicately tinged toward the center with fine apricot-yellow; the petals are beautifully edged and bordered with rich carmine, and on the outer reverse side pass to a lovely shade of salmon or buff-rose; the flowers are large, fine, full form, excellent substance and deliciously fragrant, having a rich tea scent. tea scent.



Garden Collection No. 2. For list of varieties and price of this collection, see page 17.

## Garden Collection of Choice Ever-Blooming Tea Roses—Continued

Price, 10 cents each, any Six for 50 cents; large two-year-old plants, 25 cents each; any Five for \$1.00

#### IVORY, or WHITE GOLDEN GATE

Golden Gate has become so well known to all Rose growers as an extremely free forcing variety of the largest size, that all will understand what the new Rose, Ivory, is like when it is described as a pure white Golden Gate, a sport from that variety.

#### ISABELLE SPRUNT

A bright canary-yellow; large beautiful buds suitable for cut flowers; a very sweet tea scent; profuse bloomer. It is no doubt the freest bloomer of all yellow Roses. This variety has been a favorite in all gardens where good yellow Roses are planted, for the past 20 years. There are none better.

JULES FINGER

A magnificent Rose; elegant and valuable. The color is bright rosy-scarlet, beautifully shaded with intense crimson.

#### LADY MARY CORRY

Growth vigorous and of erect branching habit, blooms of good size, freely produced and perfectly formed. Color deep golden-yellow, distinct and fine.

#### LOUIS RICHARD

A superb Rose imported from France; extra large size; splendid full form, very double, delicious tea scent; color rich coppery-rose, changing to buff, shaded with carmine; center sometimes brilliant rosy-crimson.

#### LA PRINCESSE VERA

One of the finest Tea Roses. Very full and double; immense buds, which are prettily shaped and quite distinct. Color pale flesh, changing to salmon-rose, shaded with corresponding to salmon-rose, shaded with carmine.

#### MEDIA

Ranked by many enthusiasts as the best yellow Tea Rose. The flowers are of large size, perfectly double to the center, and perfect in shape, both in bud and blossom. The color is magnificent—deep, rich, lemonyellow, with creamy-yellow center, with tints of sulphur.

#### MARIE VAN HOUTTE

This exceedingly lovely Rose cannot be surpassed by any Rose of its color. In the open ground it is truly magnificent. The flowers are extra large and are deliciously fragrant. The color is pale canary-yellow, shading to pale rose. Magnificent.

#### MARIE GUILLOT

This beautiful Tea Rose continues in popular favor, and still maintains its position as one of the best white Roses of its class; flowers of an unusual style, entirely double to the center, and very sweet-scented. Habit of growth the best.

#### MAMAN COCHET

#### The Queen of All Garden Roses.

Such beauty and exquisite form as is possessed by this variety is well-nigh marvelous, and cannot be seen in any other Rose we know of, outside of its counterparts, White and Yellow Maman Cochet. The buds are beautiful, large, full and firm and elegantly pointed; as they expand they show great depth and richness, sometimes measuring two and a half inches from base to tip. Flowers superb when open, extra large, perfectly double and of splendid substance. Small pot plants will in the open ground quickly make large, strong bushes, and produce, on long, stiff stems, great numbers of perfect flowers that are enchanting in fragrance and delicate brightness. The color is rich, clear pink, changing to silvery rose. As we see it, one good Rose like any of the Cochet Roses is worth a whole collection of poor ones—at any price. Such beauty and exquisite form as is possessed by

#### MOSELLA

Mosella is a stronger grower, flowers are a little larger than the Clothilde Soupert, but appear the same way in clusters and on single stems. The color is chrome-yellow in the center, getting creamy-white on the edges of the petals. It will make a great bedder and is perfectly hardy.

#### MRS. BEN. R. CANT

A fine garden variety of even shade of deep rose or red, round and full, the form of a good Hybrid Perpetual. A very free grower, in fact it is one of the strongest growing Roses we have. It flowers as continuously and freely as a China Rose, and is especially fine in autumn. This Rose is bound to take rank with the best Roses grown.

#### MAURICE ROUVIER

The color is a bright pinkish rose, tinted with shades of buff, veined with deep crimson, while many of the petals have a wide border of silvery-white; strong grower and prolific bloomer.

#### MARQUISE DE VIVENS

The color is a novel shade of rich violet, with center and base of petals creamy yellow, exquisitely tinted salmon and fawn. Large, full flowers; sweet. Constant and profuse bloomer.

#### MME. SCIPION COCHET

Beautiful creamy-rose, with deep crimson center; flowers large, very sweet.

MME. JOSEPH SCHWARTZ

A lovely Tea Rose, extra large, globular flowers, very full and sweet, color pure white, tinged and shaded with pale yellow and rosy-blush; very beautiful Rose; constant and profuse bloomer.

#### MME. CAROLINE CUSTER

Bright lemon-yellow; very free and handsomely shaped; one of the finest Roses; very free flowering.

#### MADAME MARGOTTIN

A famous Rose. Flowers very large, full and double, borne profusely. Color dark citron-yellow, bright red center. A strong grower and a remarkably fine Rose in every way.

#### MME. WELCHE

The flowers have great depth and substance and are of fine globular form, with broad, thick petals and large, finely-shaped buds. The color is a beautiful shade of soft amber-yellow, deepening toward the center to fine orange or coppery-yellow, delicately tinged and clouded with pale ruddy-crimson. Both flowers and buds are remarkably sweet, and the plant is a good healthy grower. good, healthy grower.

#### MME. LOMBARD

A first class Rose for bedding; extra large, full flowers; very double and sweet; color a beautiful shade of rosy-bronze, passing to salmon and fawn, beautifully shaded with carmine; an elegant Rose.

#### MADAME DE WATTEVILLE

The color is a remarkable shade of creamy-yellow, richly colored with rosy-blush. The petals are large, and each one widely bordered with bright crimson, which gives it a very striking and beautiful appearance. The flowers are large, very full and highly perance.

#### MADAME CAMILLE

Delicate rosy-flesh, changing to salmon-rose, shaded and suffused with deep carmine. Tea fragrance. A magnificent variety.

#### MME. E. DURANTHON

This is one of the most unique colored Roses in existence. Large flowers, surmounting a long stiff stem; creamy-white outside, center pink and coppery-yellow. Extremely free. This is indeed a beauty.

#### MLLE. FRANZISCA KRUGER

The striking color of this handsome Rose places it at once in the front as a bud producer in the open air. In its shading of deep coppery-yellow it stands unique and distinct from all others. The flower, when open, is of good size and very symmetrical. One of the finest Roses to plant in masses and clumps.

#### MME. CECILE BERTHOD

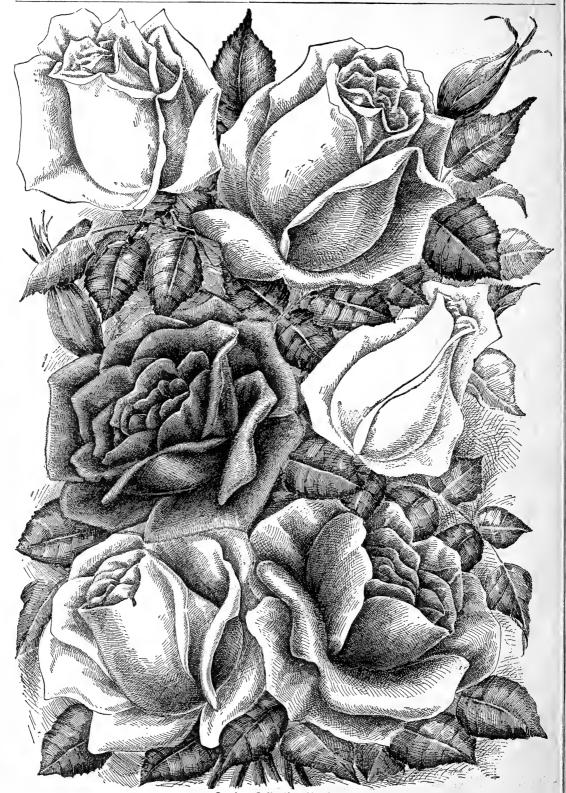
Most beautiful both in bud and flower, which is deep golden-yellow. In fact, the deepest yellow in color of any Rose we grow. The foliage is very bright. This is a Rose of magnificent size and color.

#### MADAME DE VATRY-The Creole Beauty

It makes big clean buds of great beauty and opens well, showing the large, full double flowers to great advantage. The color is a rich red, changing to silvery peach—reminds one of the delicate hues seen on the inside of the fairest deep-sea shells—rosy flesh bathed in golden amber, broad, shell-like petals, bright and beautiful; in every way a fine Rose.

#### MME. GAMON

Pure Tea, with long, handsome bud, on a stiff, wiry but graceful stem; the habit is beautiful and it is a free grower and wonderfully free in bloom. Color apricot, shaded and washed in golden sunset color.



Garden Collection No. 3.
For list of varieties and price of this Collection, see page 17.

## Garden Collection of Choice Ever = Blooming Tea Roses—Continued

Price, 10 cents each, any Six for 50 cents; large two-year-old plants, 25 cents, any Five for \$1.00

#### PAPA GONTIER

A grand red Tea, of fine crimson shade and silken texture (as distinct from velvety texture). The bud is of fine size and graceful form. Extremely free both in growth and bloom. Very long and beautifully leaved stems can be cut, the foliage being very dark and heavy. One of the best, and a perfect bedder. If you desire a good Rose, one that will give entire satisfaction, you should procure this one, as it is a plant of great value.

## PERLE DES JARDINS Or "Pearl of the Gardens"

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The one Tea Rose that you cannot do without. The The one Tea Rose that you cannot do without. The majority of cut-flower buyers who order "a dozen Marechal Niel buds" the year round do not know that their orders are filled with Perles—and quite to their satisfaction, too, be it said, for though the two varieties differ, Perle does not suffer by comparison with Niel. It has absolutely no weak point, but it is a perfect and popular Rose. The color is faultless, whether the waxy petals show the cream tint of cool weather or take the richer golden shades which a warmer sun gives them. The form of the bud is rich, round and luxuriant. It is only equaled in beauty by the open Rose, which is full to the center and large. It is no shy, creeping plant, but is fairly riotous in growth, sending out quantities of beautiful follage, thick, glossy and dark, every branch being tipped with the dark reddish-maroon of the young shoots, and bearing its buds or clusters of buds high above the leaves.

#### PRINCESSE DE SAGAN

Crimson is a scarce color among Tea Roses, and for that reason, as well as for its vigorous growth, this is a Rose of great value and beauty. The color is rich velvety-crimson, brilliantly beautiful. It blooms quickly and abundantly; in fact, is one of the freest blooming of Tea Roses. In its color it is unexcelled for outdoor culture.

#### PRINCESS VENOSA

A strong grower, producing a long bud; flower moderately large and beautifully formed; color nankeen-yellow, with shadings of carmine; a most remarkable combination of colors.

#### QUEEN'S SCARLET

This is, without any doubt, the very best of the red Roses for bedding. It can be planted anywhere, being entirely hardy. The flowers are of large size and of a fiery scarlet, a color seldom seen in Roses. Indeed, a bed of this Rose produce a mass of red equal to a bed of Geraniums.

#### RAINBOW

Makes fine buds and flowers of a beautiful shade of pink, striped and mottled with bright crimson, shaded and toned rich amber-yellow.

#### SOUV. D'UN AMI

The color is a deep rosy-flesh beautifully shaded with rich carmine; edges and reverse of petals silverrose; clear and bright. A Rose that will please.

#### SOMBREUIL

Beautiful white, tinged with delicate rose; buds are large and full, blooming in clusters.

#### SNOWFLAKE

This is a lovely white Rose, a pure Tea, but a foreign seedling, the freest flowering white Rose we have ever seen. It will be especially useful in set designs. For a pot plant it cannot be excelled, as it possesses every good quality of a pot Rose.

#### SOUV. DE VICTOR HUGO

A splendid ever-blooming Rose, introduced from France; large tulip-shaped flowers delightfully scented and a very free bloomer; color lovely citron-red with beautiful amber and fawn shading.

#### SOUVENIR DE PIERRE NOTTING

This variety is a seedling of Marechal Niel and Maman Cochet, with beautiful closely set foliage and a strong, sturdy habit of growth. The bloom is very large, perfectly full, of elegant form; has a beautiful long bud; the colors are very bright, distinct and clear, and have no unpleasant tones—orange-yellow, bordered in carmine-rose.

#### SAFRANO

Bright apricot-yellow, changing to orange and fawn, sometimes tinted with rose; valued highly for its beautiful buds; fragrant and a rampant grower.

#### SUNRISE

This has made a sensation in England and taken first honors wherever shown. In close bud form it shows the high brilliant colors seen only in the Austrian copper, scarlet and yellow. As it opens the color deepens, the scarlet turning darker red, the yellow to orange and copper, inside of petals golden-yellow. The open Rose is large, perfectly double and of grand form. Foliage glossy and thick.

#### SOUVENIR DE LA MALMAISON

This grand old variety, when used as a bedding Rose in summer, has no equal, as it produces the most perfect flowers in the hottest weather. Its rich flesh-colored flowers are of immense size, double to the center; are produced in abundance; exquisitely fragrant; a noble Rose.

#### SUNSET

A grand variety. The flowers are of large size, fine full form, very double and deliciously perfumed; the color is a remarkable shade of rich golden-amber, elegantly tinged and shaded with dark ruddy copper. Intensely beautiful and resembling in color a splendid "Afterglow."

#### THE QUEEN

This elegant new Tea Rose originated in this coun-This elegant new feet wose originated in this country. It is a very large, pure snow-white, ever-blooming Rose; the flowers are extremely large, very full and double, and delightfully perfumed; a vigorous and healthy grower.

#### The Largest White Rose, THE BRIDE

This is undoubtedly the finest white ever-blooming Rose ever offered to the public, and we take pleasure in recommending it to all our customers. The buds are very large and of exquisite form; the petals are of fine texture and substance, and the full flower is very double, measuring from three and one-half to four inches in diameter. The color is a delicate creamywhite. The blooms can be cut with long stems and will last in a fresh state after being cut longer than any known variety. any known variety.

#### VIRGINIA

A vigorous grower of bushy habit, the blooms are large and double, finely formed, lasting and of excellent substance, often remaining on the bush until dried up. Color light yellow, with a tinge of saffron at the center, and reverse of petals of pinkish cast. Perfume a delicate and delightful tea scent.

#### WHITE BOUGERE

A beautiful large pure white flower, with thick shell-shaped petals; fine both in bud and fully open flower. Plant is a strong, healthy grower, equally valuable for pot or garden culture.

#### WHITE COCHET

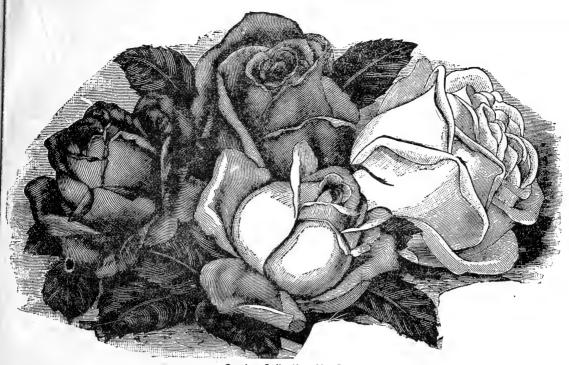
A grand Rose. Identical with its parent, Maman Cochet, the queen of all pink garden Roses, except in color of flower, which is snowy-white, sometimes faintly tinged with the faintest suggestion of pale blush. It has the same freedom of bloom, magnificent form of buds and flowers, which is marvelously beautiful in its perfection. The flowers are large and very double, with petals of unusually heavy texture, making it of more than ordinary value in open ground. It has the vigor of an oak, with large, heavy foliage, which is impervious to disease. Of extraordinary merit.

#### YELLOW MAMAN COCHET, or MADAME DEREPAS MATRAT

Everything considered this is one of the most noteworthy introductions. It is the typical Cochet Rose, with its gracefully molded buds, magnificent open flowers, stiff, strong stems, heavy foliage and with the vigor of growth and blooming capacity that has made the Cochet Roses the most reliable of their class and color. There is a great need for this variety, for it will become equally as famous as Pink and White Maman Cochet. It throws up fine, strong stems, crowned by solitary buds of grand size; the color is a good sulphur-yellow, blooms very large, perfectly double, splendid form and freely produced. It has every quality necessary to make the ideal yellow bedder, ranking with the White and Pink Cochets in value as a summer Rose. a summer Rose.



Garden Collection No. 4-For list of varieties and price of this collection, see page 17.



Garden Collection No. 5.

We here give the names of varieties, and price of the Rose Collections illustrated on pages 10, 12, 14, 16 and 17. For descriptions see pages 11, 13 and 15.

GARDEN COLLECTION No. 1 (Page 10)—Consists of Burbank, Clothilde Soupert, Bridesmald, Duchess de Brabant, Etoile de Lyon, Freiherr von Marschall, Ivory, Helen Good, Marie Guillot, Isabella Sprunt.

Price: Entire collection of ten in one-year-old plants for 80 cents. Same in large two-year-old plants, \$2.00.

GARDEN COLLECTION No. 2 (Page 12)-Mosella, Franzisca Kruger, Mme. Cecile Berthod, Mme. Lombard, Mrs. B. R. Cant, The Bride.

Price: Full set of six for 50 cents. Same in large two-year-old plants, \$1.20.

GARDEN COLLECTION No. 3 (Page 14)-Papa Gontier, Mme. Welche, Perle des Jardins, Maman Cochet, White Cochet and Yellow Cochet.

Price: Set of six for 50 cents. Same in two-year-old plants, \$1.20.

GARDEN COLLECTION No. 4 (Page 16)—Lady Mary Corry, Queen's Scarlet, Princess of Pierre Notting, Mme. Camille, Mme. de Watteville, Marie Van Houtte and The Queen. Princess de Sagan, Souv. de

Price: Full set of eight for 65 cents. Same in large two-year-old plants, \$1.50.

GARDEN COLLECTION No. 5 (Page 17) -- Mme. de Vatry, Souv. de la Malmaison, White Bougere, Virginia, H. M. Stanley and Gen. de Tartas.

Price: Set of six for 50 cents. Same in large two-year-old plants, \$1.20.

## The Famous Marechal Niel Roses

#### YELLOW MARECHAL NIEL

The Most Popular of All.

A Rose so famous as to really require no description. Its magnificent golden-yellow buds are worn the world over; they illustrate the globular form in its perfection, and are almost massive in dimensions. It is almost universally held to be the finest climber indoors or out, where the climate admits of its cultivation. This is one of the Roses that starts rather slowly, and for that reason the best success will be had with the larger plants. This superb Rose is especially recommended for the Southern states, where it requires but little outdoor protection. Nice, well-established plants, 10 cents each; two-year-old plants, 30 cents each; extra large plants, by express only, 50 30 cents each; extra large plants, by express only, 50 cents.

#### WHITE MARECHAL NIEL

The fame of Marechal Niel, with its large, deep The tame of Marechal Niel, with its large, deep golden-yellow flowers, is so world-wide that nothing further need be said of this new variety to make it instantly popular, than that it is the counterpart in every respect of Marechal Niel, its parent, save the color of the flower, which is pale creamy-white, totally distinct. It is a rapid climber. Price, 10 cents each; two-year-old plants, 30 cents each; extra large plants, 50 cents each. plants, 50 cents each.

#### THE RED MARECHAL NIEL

This grand new Rose is a strong, vigorous grower; flowers large, full and of fine form; color a pure cherry-red and sweet-scented. A splendid Rose, and destined to become very popular. Price, 10 cents each; large two-year-old plants, 40 cents each.

#### TWELVE SPECIAL FAVORITES IN

# Hardy Ever-Blooming Roses

By our faithful attention to the wants of customers we have won a confidence that we consider one of the most valuable assets of our business. Our appreciation of this confidence, therefore, makes us feel especially the responsibility of selecting from among our entire list twelve Roses which we can recommend as the most reliable for general planting. There are so many beautiful Roses nowadays that it would not be just to say of any twelve, "These are the best," but we do say that in this set of twelve each one contains the qualities of a high grade Rose. They are all strong, vigorous growers, bloom abundantly and all are among the hardiest in this ever-blooming class. They will bloom the first season and every succeeding season, all summer long, even the one-year size, but best about them is the beauty of the flowers, in form, color, fragrance, every way; but read the descriptions on preceding pages and then order. If you can only have a few Roses, don't fail to get this collection. It will give you unbounded satisfaction. We have made the price very moderate, placing them within the reach of all. Price, entire set of twelve for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, any six for \$1.25; set of twelve for \$2.40.

#### THE TWELVE SPECIAL FAVORITES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

BESSIE BROWN, WM. R. SMITH, CLOTHILDE SOUPERT. DUCHESSE DE BRABANT.

ETOILE DE LYON, HELEN GOULD, PERNET'S TRIUMPH, HELEN GAMBIER,

KAISERIN AUGUSTA VICTORIA, METEOR. PINK LA FRANCE. WELLESLEY.

#### "IMPERIAL"

## Rose Collection

20 Ever-Blooming Tea Roses for \$1.00

Fine plants from two and a half-inch pots (postage prepaid).

They will delight you with exquisite and abundant bloom this summer. This offer cannot be excelled either in quantity or quality.

This collection is strictly of our own selection, and we guarantee them to be well rooted, to reach you in good condition, and to be a fine assortment of colors, all correctly labeled. Many of our very best varieties will be included in the collection.

This offer is only made to induce you to give us a trial, and it will be to our interest to send only a fine assortment of good Roses, well rooted, that are sure to bloom freely the first year.



Basket of Roses cut from one of our "Imperial" Collections



The Wonderful New Rose, Baby Rambler.

# **Baby Rambler Collection**

RED, PINK AND WHITE

These are the best of all Roses for pot culture and bedding. Dwarf in growth, bearing great masses of bloom throughout the whole season. Bedded out they bloom all summer; may be lifted in the fall and potted for winter blooming. Continually in bloom. It makes no difference what season of the year it may be, they are always covered with flowers. They are perfectly hardy and with slight protection will live in the open ground through the severest winters.

Price, 10 cents each, six for 50 cents, or fifteen for \$1.00. Strong, two-year-old plants, 30 cents each, or five for \$1.00.

CRIMSON BABY RAMBLER

An ever-blooming dwarf Crimson Rambler.
Unique and novel. Blooms every day in the year.
Grows but twenty inches high. Better than an Azalea. Superb for single specimens, dwarf hedges and bedding. It has become so famous that it scarcely needs a description. Color clear brilliant ruby-red; dark, glossy foliage, free from insects.

Absolutely hardy everywhere.

PINK BABY RAMBLER

Identical in every way with Crimson Baby Rambler, except in the color of the flowers, which are shining, brilliant pink, produced in great profusion in large clusters. A splendid companion for the Crimson Baby Rambler.

WHITE BABY RAMBLER

(Catherine Zeimet.) A very important novelty, Identical with the Ramblers mentioned above, except in the color of its flowers, which is pure snow-white. It has the true Rose perfume in a high degree. Perfectly hardy.

#### **EVER-BLOOM** ING CLIMBING ROSES

Price, 10 cents each; any six for 50 cents. Large two-year-old plants, 30 cents; any five for \$1.00. In the South or on the Pacific Coast, where they stand the winters, nothing can compare with them for beauty of bud and foliage. Are never to be forgotten when seen in full bloom, loaded with thousands of magnificent flowers.

NOTE.—The Roses on this and the following pagesare the most rampant and vigorous in the whole Rose family. They may be kept out of doors in the North by laying them down and covering well with leaves or litter. If you want Roses to "get there quick," these are the ones to plant:



Climbing Malmaison — There is no finer pink than the old, well-known Malmaison, or "Souvmaison, on, or "Souv-of the South. enir" and we are sure that and we are sure that our patrons, one and all, will be glad to hear that we have a climbing variety that is identical with parent. variety will prove of inestimable value to all lovers of fine climbing Roses. It will prove perfectly hardy south of Washington, D. C.

Chromatella, or Cloth of Gold-A grand Rose for the South. Clear, bright yellow, very s and beautiful. sweet blooms rather spar-ingly, but makes up for this deficiency by being wonderfully being beautiful.

Caroline Goodrich. or Climbing General Jacqueminot - This finely Rose has formed, very double its fraflowers, and grance is most deli-cious. This is a cious. This is a hardy Climbing Tea. and should not be classed hardy climbers that bloom but once a year. The color is the same as that of General Jacqueminnot.

A Grand, New Velvety-Red Rose, Climbing Meteor—Climbing Meteor is the acme of all red climbing Roses. It is a free, persistent bloomer, and will make o growth of from ten to fifteen feet in a season; in bloom all the time, as it is a true ever-bloomer. We do not he sitate to place it at the head of the list of all Roses for summer blooming, as it will make a strong growth and is literally loaded with its deep, rich red flowers all the time. Its flowers are much larger than Meteor, and are richer in color. It is just the Rose to train up the veranda or around windows, where its great beauty will show up to good advantage. Don't fail to plant one or more of Climbing Meteor.

Empress of China-There is no other Rose like it that will bloom for so long a time. It is simply wonderful. When it first opens, the flowers are a beautiful red, but soon turn to a lovely light pink, and it blooms so profusely as to almost hide the plant. It is perfectly hardy and a vigorous grower.

Climbing Paul Neyron (Madame Wagram)-Paul Neyron has always been known as the largest Rose extant. In Climbing Paul Neyron we have the largest size coupled with its bright, fresh pink color, that no Rose exceis; and it is also a true perpetual bloomer. The freest of all climbers. This Rose is a wonder. Be sure and try it.

Climbing Perle Des Jardins—Same as the grand old Perle des Jardins and equally good in every way, but of vigorous climbing habit. Its large, full, well-formed, golden-yellow flowers, borne on stiff stems, make this variety especially desirable for bouquets and artistic floral decorations.

Climbing Devoniensis—Identical in all respects with the Tea Rose "Devoniensis," except it has the climb-ing habit; flowers of great size, very double; a magnificent variety.

Caroline Marniesse-A hardy ever-blooming bedding Rose that deserves more than ordinary attention. Flowers medium size, pure white, very double and borne in clusters. Of easy culture and free bloomer. Perfectly hardy if slightly protected. This we consider one of the most desirable Roses for cemetery planting.

as it is quite hardy and produces its clusters of pure white flowers throughout the season.

Golden Chain, or Climbing Safrano—(Reve d'Or.) A beautiful pillar Rose, being a strong climber. Color orange-yellow, or deep saffron; good size, full and sweet

Lamarque—White with sulphur center, sometimes pure white; very large, full flowers, fragrant and makes beautiful buds; an excellent Rose. Well-established plants bear thousands of its beautiful white

Mary Washington—Its flowers are of medium size, pure white, perfectly double to the center, sweet, and borne in endless number all summer. It is a vigorous and rapid grower, and at once becomes a general factorite. and rapid grower, and at once becomes a general favorite. It makes a great profusion of fine buds, which are borne on long stems and usually in large clusters. Its fragrance is tinged with the old-fashioned musky flavor so much admired in olden times.

Mme. Driout—The striped Reine Marie Henriette (as the name implies, it is a sport from the old favorite Reine Marie Henriette). Has the splendid vigor and the form of the mother Rose, while beautifully striped, flamed and shaded in bright carmine over nole rose.

flamed and shaded in bright carmine over pale rose.



#### EVER-BLOOMING CLIMBING ROSES—Continued

Price, 10 cents each; any six for 50 cents. Large plants, 30 cents, any five for \$1.00. Large two-year-old

Mrs. Robert Peary, or Climbing Kaiserin—This is by all odds the most remarkable new Rose of recent introduction. It is an offspring of that grand variety, Kaiserin Augusta Victoria. The flowers are extra large, full, deep and double; are of excellent substance and produced on long, stiff stems, like a forcing Rose; buds are long and pointed. Pure ivory-white. Fragrance is delicious. It grows to perfection outdoors, throwing up numerous shoots 10 to 15 feet high in a single season.

Pillar of Gold—

ous shoots 10 to 15 Pillar of Gold—In Pillar of Gold we have a jewel. The blooms a redouble to the center, of the largest size, and double conter, of largest size, largest size, and come in immense sprays or bunches of from five to ten blooms on a single by a ne h single branch, and the effect throughout the summer is a per-fect sheet of gold. The color is a deep yellow; re-pery-yellow; re-verse of petals shows touches of

shows toucnes bright rose.

President Cleveland, also known as Climbing Marie Guillot —Color pure sometimes faint-sometimes it h ly tinged with pale yellow.

Reine Marie

Henriette -Ancrimexcellent son - flowered ever - blooming climber. The flowers are exquisitely formed, quisitely formed, very full and double, n i c e l y teasented, s'r o n g growing and very free-flowering.

Solfatare — Fine, c l e a r sulphuryellow; l a r g e, double, f u l l and fragrant; an ex-



double, f u l l and fragrant: an excellent climbing Rose; valuable.
Climbing Clothilde Soupert—In a single season small plants will grow fifteen to twenty-five feet. They are distinct, large, round, full and double, with beautifully imbricated petals, and deliciously sweet. The color effect is magnificent—ivory-white shading toward the center to a silvery-rose. Cluster after cluster of flowers is produced throughout the entire season, and the bush at all times is literally loaded down with them.
W. A. Richardson—Branches strong and spreading; flowers good size, full, fine form; orange-yellow; new shade of Noisettes.

## FAMILY OF BLER ROSES

These beautiful, new hardy climbing Roses are unexcelled. There is nothing like them, after they become established, in their strong luxuriant growth, freedom of bloom and bright colors. This family of Roses has become so popular everywhere, notably the famous Crimson Rambler and Dorothy Perkins, that extended descriptions are not necessary. Crimson Rambler and Dorothy Perkins are almost as necessary adjuncts to one's home as the furniture in it. Absolutely hardy everywhere; once planted, they are practically permanent.

Price, 10 cents each; any six for 50 cents; two-year-old plants, 30 cents; any five for \$1.00.

cents; any five for \$1.00.

Crimson Rambler—The plant is of very vigorous growth, making shoots of from eight to ten feet during the season, rendering it a charming pillar Rose. It is also magnificent in bush form, and for covering buildings, trellises, etc., it cannot be excelled. One of the striking characteristics of this Rose is its remarkable color, which is of the brightest crimson, which remains undimmed to the end. The flowers are produced in great pyramidal panicles or trusses, each carrying from thirty to forty blooms, the individual flowers measuring from one to one and a half inches in diameter and remaining perfect on the plant for upwards of two weeks with their freshness of color unimpaired. It is exceedingly hardy, having successfully withstood the test in exposed situations of very severe Winters. It is hardy in every latitude yet tried as far north as the lakes. north as the lakes.

Dorothy Perkins—Extremely hardy, withstanding the most severe winters with impunity. The flowers are borne in clusters of from six to ten and are very double, with prettily crinkled petals. Remarkably pretty pointed buds, beautiful clear shell-pink in color, lasting a long time without fading. The flowers are sweet scented. The foliage is rich, deep green, and of thick, leathery substance.

Keystone—This great new Rose has a vigor of constitution found in no other Rose. The open flower is perfectly double, resembling Clothilde Soupert; buds beautifully formed; color deep lemon-yellow. Fragrance delicious, like that of Magnolia blossoms.

Lady Gay—A grand novelty. Flowers are of a delicate cherry-pink color, which fades to a soft white; deep green foliage. A vigorous grower and perfectly hardy.

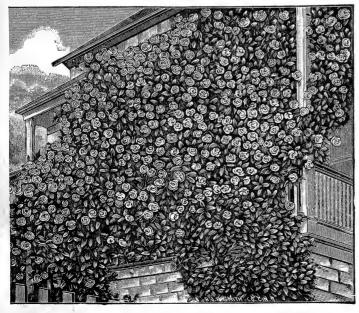
White Rambler, Lily Ito—This is an unusually vigorous grower and a wonderfully profuse bloomer. The flowers are very double and full, of medium size, pure snowy-white, and borne in large clusters continuously throughout the whole season.

Philadelphia Rambler—It differs from the Crimson Rambler. The color is deeper and more intense; the flowers are perfectly double to the center, very durable and of fine substance. The blooms are larger than those of Crimson Rambler.

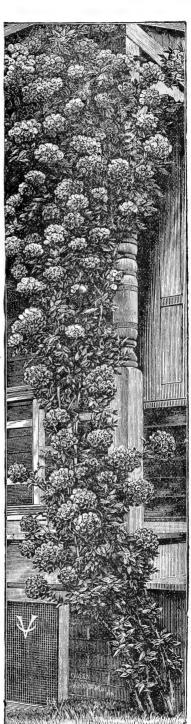
Tausendschon—A rapid growing, almost thornless, climber of exceptional value and attractiveness. Its innumerable flower clusters show every shade of pink, rose and crimson, with white and yellow variegations—substantiating its popular name of "Thousand Beauties."

Yellow Rambler (Aglaia)—Flowers are deep golden-yellow and very

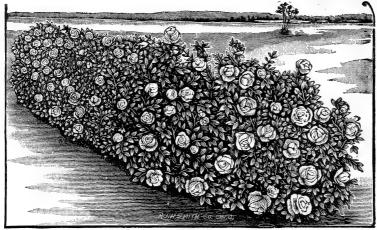
fragrant.



Dorothy Perkins.



Crimson Rambler.



Wm. C. Egan.

Wm. C. Egan—A cross between General Jacqueminot and R. Wichuraiana. Blooms in large attractive trusses. Flowers large, full, and a beautiful pink; always hardy and dependable.

Mrs. Lovett—New double sweet-scented Memorial Rose. Roses are very double, two to two and one-half inches in diameter, of the liveliest, most cheerful, bright rosy-pink. Best of all, it is as fragrant as the American Beauty.

Manda's Triumph—Produces large clusters of well-formed double flowers of pure white, two inches in di-

Universal Favorite-Double flowers of a beautiful rose

color, over two inches in diameter.

Pink Romer—Single variety; flowers nearly two inches in diameter, bright, rich pink, with almost white center and orange-red stamens.

### ARBOR OR HARDY CLIMBING PRAIRIE ROSES

These are the only Climbing Roses that are perfectly are the only climbing Roses that are perfectly hardy everywhere, and are, consequently, of the greatest value. They can be readily trained to a height of ten to twenty feet, as they grow with very great vigor. They bloom the second year and but once in a season, but are then loaded with splendid Roses, and are among the most beautiful of flowering plants.

Price, 10 cents each, any three for 25 cents; two-yearold plants, 30 cents each, any three for 75 cents.

Baltimore Belle—Pale blush, variegated carmine, rose and white; very double flowers, in beautiful clusters, the whole plant appearing a perfect mass of bloom. One of the very best of the type.

Greville, or Seven Sisters-Flowers in large clusters, varies in color from white to crimson.

Prairie Queen—Flowers very large and of peculiar globular form. Bright rosy-red, changing to lighter as the flowers open.

Pride of Washington—Bright amaranth, shaded rose center; large clusters, very double; fine.

Tennessee Belle—Flowers bright, beautiful pink; is

more slender and graceful in growth than any of the varieties.

#### THE LADY BANKS —Or Banksian Roses—

These are fine climbing or trailing Roses, should bloom the second year after planting and are very beautiful. As the flowers are produced on the old growth, they should be pruned very little. The flowers are quite small, very double, come in immense clusters, and have a delicious Violet fragrance; indeed, if you were blindfolded you could not detect the difference between the fragrance of the Banksia Rose and the Violet. There are two colors:

White Banksia—Pure white; beautiful, perfect form. 10 cents; two-year-old plants, 30 cents. Yellow Banksia—Fine clear yellow; very full and beautiful. 10 cents; two-year-old plants, 30 cents.

## Japanese Creeping = = 01 = =

## Memorial Roses

These are most desirable Roses for Planting on Banks or for Entirely Hardy Everywhere.

Price, 10 cents, any three for 25 cents; two-year-old plants, 25 cents each, five for \$1.00.

These charming Roses are of the same creeping habit as Rosa the same creeping habit as Rosa Wichuraiana, trailing over the ground or creeping about the trunks of trees and pillars with delightful effect. These Roses are of intense hardiness, and succeed in all soils, even on the poorest and driest conceivable.

Rosa Wichuraiana—The single white memorial, or Japan trailing Rose. A trailing species of very rapid growth, creeping on the ground almost as closely as For covering the ground among shrubbery and rocks it has no equal, and is of great value in ornamental gardening on account of its beautiful fo-liage, which is bright green, shining as if varnished, and of an almost evergreen character—remaining green until nearly mid-winter—making it attractive green until nearly mid-winter—making it attractive at all seasons of the year. It is especially beautiful when covered with its long, showy clusters of white blossoms, which are produced in the greatest profusion during the entire month of July and more sparingly throughout the season. The flowers are single, pure white, fully two inches across, with yellow stamens, and have a delicate perfume.

#### SULPHO-TOBACCO SOAP

A Wonderful Insect Pest Exterminator.



Unsurpassed for quickly ex-terminating all insect life on plants and flowers in and out of plants and flowers in and out of doors, excellent for Rose bushes, shrubs, etc. This popular Insecticide never fails to give satisfaction, and is cheap, effective, clean, harmless and non-injurious to the tenderest growth. It also acts as a valuable fertilizer, reviving plant life. For domestic purposes it rids the house of cockroaches, and is a superior wash for dogs and all superior wash for dogs and all animals. Prevents poultry lice. You cannot afford to be without Sulpho-Tobacco Soap if you desire to be successful in plant culture. A trial will give highly creatifying, results gratifying results.

3-oz. Cake, sufficient for 1½
3allons prepared solution, 10
cents, mailed, postpaid, 13 cents.
8-oz. Cake, sufficient for 4 gallons prepared solution, 20 cents; mailed, postpaid, 28 cents.



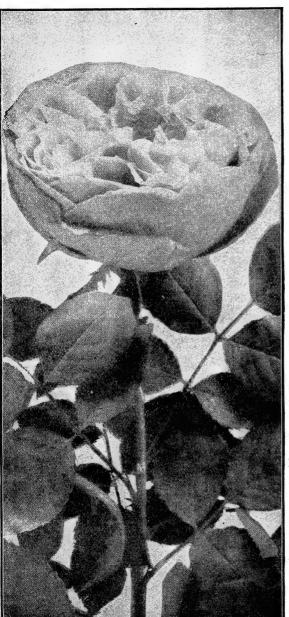
Slug-Shot Kills Bugs

A cheap powder de-ructive to insects structive to insects that are injurious to nants, trees, snrubs, vines, potatoes, melons, cabbage, currants, etc. Used in all latitudes since 1880 with soft since 1890 with since 1890 1880 with safety to man, beast and fowl.

man, beast and fowl. Put up in perforated cartons and screw-top canister, and is handy to use, merely dusting on the plant with the can. If you are troubled with insects on your Rose bushes, we recommend you to try this. It does the work quickly and thoroughly. Price by mail: Canisters (1 lb.), 40 cents each; Cartons (1 lb. paper box), 30 cents each. Price by express: Canisters, 25 cents each; Cartons, 15 cents each; 5-lb. packages, 35 cents each.

Not subject to Club Rates.

## SIX OF THE BEST AND MOST DESIRABLE Hybrid Perpetual Roses



Rose, American Beauty.

#### AMERICAN BEAUTY ROSE

Flowers very large, of beautiful form and very double; color a deep, rich rose. The fragrance is delightful, resembling La France or the old-fashioned Damask Rose. A true ever-bloomer, each shoot producing a bud. This popular Rose is too well known to need further description. Price, small plants, 20 cents each; strong, two-year-old plants, 40 cents.

One Each of this Set of Six Roses in Fine Plants from 21 in. Pots 90c. Set of Six in Large Two-Year-Old Plants \$1.75

#### New Snow-White Hardy Hybrid Perpetual Rose, FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI, or WHITE AMERICAN BEAUTY

AMERICAN BEAUTY

This magnificent variety has taken first prizes at all the great flower shows of Europe, and is undoubtedly one of the grandest hardy pure white Roses ever introduced. Makes splendid buds and immense flowers, four to five inches across, perfectly double and delightfully fragrant, large thick petals. very double and handsome. Bright, shining green leaves, elegantly veined; a healthy, vigorous grower, entirely hardy and a constant and abundant bloomer. Recommended by the leading Rose growers of Europe as the most beautiful and satisfactory snow-white perpetual Rose even seen. We have grown this Rose for three years, and can, without hesitation, say that as a hardy white Rose it has no rival, outclassing all comers; superb. We are very proud to bring this fine Rose to the notice of all rosarians, be they amateur or professional. For beauty and size we place this variety at the head of the Hybrid Perpetuals. Price, 20c each; large two-year-old plants, 40c each.

New Hardy Ironclad Ever-Blooming Rose.

#### New Hardy Ironclad Ever-Blooming Rose, CONRAD F. MEYER

This magnificent new Rose was introduced by the celebrated Dr. Muller, of Germany, in 1899, and has just found its way to America. It is perfectly hardy, and blooms all through the summer and fall. The flowers are four inches across, perfectly full and double. The color is clear flesh-pink, with bright red center; it is very sweet, and has the delightful fragrance of the wild rose or sweetbriar. It has been called the "Ironclad" Ever-Blooming Rose, for, besides being perfectly hardy, it is entirely free from the attacks of insects, rust or blight and is a real ironclad continuous blooming Rose, entirely different from the old ever-blooming varieties, and having a different style of beauty. This is certainly a grand variety. Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 40 cents each. 40 cents each.

#### J. B. CLARKE

(Hybrid Perpetual.) The growth is strong and upright, very vigorous, making a large, handsome bush; the foliage is broad and stout, bronzy-green in the young state, changing to dark green. The blooms are very large and beautifully formed; the petals, which are very smooth, are of great size and depth; flower very full and long, with high pointed center; color unique, being intense scarlet shaded crimson-maroon, very dark and rich; strongly fragrant. Awarded gold medal of the National Rose Society. Seven and one-half inches in diameter by five inches deep. Dickson classes this Rose as a Hybrid Tea, but it is also classed as a Hybrid Perpetual. Price, strong one-year plants, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 40 cents each.

#### MRS. JOHN LAING

An elegant new constant-blooming Hybrid Perpetual Rose; one of the very finest in its class. Color a clear, bright shell-pink, exquisitely shaded. The buds are long and pointed, the flowers extra large and full, borne on long stems and exceedingly sweet. Valuable both for open ground and greenhouse culture. A most exquisite Rose. Price, 15 cents each; large two-year-old plants, 40 cents each.

#### DINSMORE

For years we have been looking for a variety which had all the desirable qualities of a bedding Rose—that is, one which was of good color, fine form, profuse bloomer, and which would stand the rigors of our Western winters without protection. It is a vigorous, healthy Rose, of dwarf branching habit, and is simply loaded with flowers all summer long, being more profuse than most of the tender ever-blooming Roses. The flowers are large, perfectly double, and of a dazzling scarlet-crimson color, and have the rich, spicy fragrance peculiar to the best Hybrid Roses. We have proved the Dinsmore to be entirely hardy. It blooms incessantly, and is one of the most beautiful of bedding Roses. Price, 10 cents each; two-year-old plants, 30 cents each.

## Hardy Hybrid Perpetual Roses

The Hybrid Perpetuals, of "June Roses," as they are commonly called, are the hardiest of all Roses, standing the cold winters of the North. After once planted they require but little care, increasing in size and beauty each year. They are covered with bloom in June, although the summer and fall; but the greatest profusion of bloom is to be seen in June. Our collection of this class of Roses comprises such varieties as are most valuable. They are strong plants, grown on their strong plants, grown on their own roots, will grow and give a profusion of fragrant bloom.

Price, 15 cents each; any five for 50 cents; two-year-old plants, 30 cents each; any five for \$1.00.

#### ANNA DE DIESBACH

(Glory of Paris.) Brilliant crimson, sometimes shaded with bright maroon. Long, pointed buds and large, finely formed, compact flowers, very full and sweet. One of the best.

#### BALL OF SNOW

(Boule de Neige.) In the Ball of Snow we have a Rose of large size which is perfectly double, exquisitely fragrant, pure white in color and entirely hardy. It is invaluable for cemetery or other planting where white flowers are desired, as it blooms freely all summer.

#### CAPTAIN CHRISTY

Extra large, flat flowers; color, a lovely shade of pale peach, deepening at center to rosy crimson.

#### COQUETTE DES ALPS

Large, full, finely-formed flowers; color, pure white, sometimes faintly tinged with pale blush; profuse bloomer, very hardy and beautiful.

#### CLIO

The flowers of this magnificent Rose are simply perfection in form, with fine, broad petals and are beautiful at all stages of development, from the small bud to the full open flower; color delicate satin-blush, with a light shading of rosy-pink at the center. Very free blooming and strong, healthy grower.

#### GLOIRE LYONNAISE

This grand Rose is the only yellow Hybrid Perpetual that has been produced. It cannot be called deep yellow, but rather a pale shade of chamois or salmon-yellow, deepest in context comptings residue. center, sometimes passing to a rich creamy-white, finely tinted orange and fawn.

#### GENERAL JACQUEMINOT

Bright, shining crimson, very rich and velvety; exceedingly brilliant and handsome; makes magnificent buds, and is highly esteemed as one of the best and most desirable for open ground and also for forcing.



Coquette des Alps.



Marie Rauman

## Hardy Hybrid Perpetual Roses—Continued Price, 15 cents each; any five for 50 cents. Two-year-old plants 30 cents each; any five for \$1.00.



#### VICK'S CAPRICE

A striking Rose, totally unlike any oth-er variety. The flower variety. The now-ers are large, slightly cup shaped, but full and deep; the petals are thick and lasting, having the ground are the having the color clear satiny-pink, distinctly striped and dashed with white and bright carmine. and bright carmine.
It makes lovely, elegant - shaped buds,
which show the
stripes and markings to great advantage.

#### PAUL NEYRON

Color deep, shining rose, very fresh and pretty, and flowers large, often measuring five inches in diameter, and it has this merit—though very large, the buds always develop fine, perfect Roses. Grown by thousands for its good free-blooming qualities. ing qualities.

#### ULRICH BRUNER

Rich crimson-scarlet, broad, round, thick petals of good substance, highly perfumed, very handsome and desirable.



Paul Nevron.

#### PRINCE CAMILLE DE ROHAN

Very dark, rich velvety-crimson, passing to intense maroon, shaded black. Large full flowers, looking at a little distance as if really black. One of the darkest Roses; very handsome.

#### MAGNA CHARTA

Superb, bold, full flowers, very double and sweet, borne erect on stiff, stout canes; bright satiny-pink, tinged with carmine.

#### MARIE BAUMAN

Very productive; flowers of exquisite form and fragrance. Color, crimson-vermilion suffused with carmine. Large and full.

#### MADAME MASSON

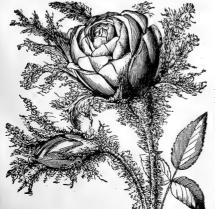
An excellent Hybrid Perpetual noted for its constant and profuse bloom. The flowers are large, color a clear, bright rose, highly perfumed. One of the best for planting.

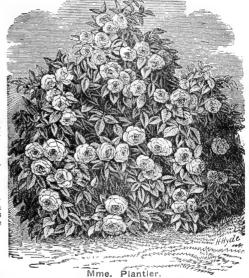
#### MADEMOISELLE MARIE RADY

A clear, bright red, finely penciled with rich maroon; very large, full flowers, fragrant and beautiful.

#### MADAME PLANTIER

One of the old June Roses, at which time it is literally covered with pure white, perfectly double, fragrant flowers, which hang on for a long time. Makes large, dense bushes. As hardy as an oak. A beautiful cemetery Rose. One of the best for forming hedges.





## MOSS ROSES

A class of Roses which are much admired. The beauty of the flower consists in the delicate mossy covering which surrounds the bud, and which gives the opening flower a unique appearance. The Moss Rose bud is the most exquisitely beautiful of all Roses. It is the Queen of Queens. Moss Roses are perfectly hardy, and grow in any soil as freely as ordinary Roses.

Henri Martin—Rich, glossy pink, tinged with crimson; large globular flowers, very full and sweet; finely mossed; one of the finest. Price, 15 cents each; two-year-old plants, 35 cents.

Comtesse de Murinais—Flowers white, sometimes tinged with flesh color; large, double cupped buds heavily mossed. One of the best Moss Roses. Price, 15 cents each; two-year-old plants, 35 cents.

De Luxembourg—Bright crimson-scarlet, large and double, very sweet and mossy. Price, 15 cents each; two-year-old plants, 35

cents.

One each of these three beautiful Moss Roses in one-year-old plants, 35 cents; same in two-year-old plants, \$1.00.

# CHRYSANTHEMUMS GENERAL COLLECTION

THE PEOPLE'S FLOWER-MAGNIFICENT, LARGE-FLOWERING JAPANESE VARIETIES

If the following directions are carefully followed, the blooms CULTURAL DIRECTIONS If the following directions are carefully followed, the blooms can be brought to perfection out of doors as late as Nov. 15th

#### FOR LARGE CUT FLOWERS

Plant in a bed enriched with a good amount of well-Plant in a bed enficied with a good amount of wenrotted cow manure. As the side shoots, or suckers,
appear at the base of the leaves, carefully pinch them
out, thereby throwing the strength into the main stem,
which keep carefully tied to a stake. When the buds
appear, pinch out all the buds save the strongest one
and water with liquid cow manure about once a week
until the bud begins to show color then water only until the bud begins to show color, then water only with clear water, being careful to keep the water off the flower. By the above culture any person should be able to produce flowers of mammoth size, which should mature before the early frosts appear. If there is danger of frosts, drive stakes in the bed and cover with muslin. If desired, four or five branches may be left, but only one flower should be allowed to each

POT PLANTS

When the main stem has attained a growth of about when the main stem has attained a growth of about six inches pinch the top out of it, leaving four or five eyes, which will start out side branches; when these side branches have attained a growth of about four inches, pinch them, same as the main stem. When the buds appear you can disbud each branch, leaving only the strongest bud, or allow all of the buds to mature in a cluster on each branch.

For further directions see circular sent with plants.

For convenience in making selection, we name on this page six lists of Chrysanthemums, each composed of varieties of same color or same character. In this way the best of each color or kind are given together, and selection can be more easily made. The following sorts are what we consider most satisfactory for amateur growers. Those marked with a star (\*) are the earlier flowering varieties.

#### Price, 8 cents each; any Eight for 50 cents; if left to our selection, we will send Eighteen for \$1.00

#### PINK

Dr. Enguehard \*Glory of the Pacific
\*Leila Filkins
Marie Liger
Millicent Richardson Mrs. Coombes \*Pink Ivory T. Carrington \*W. F. McNeice Wm. Duckham Rosiere Maud Dean Mrs. M. F. Plant Lavender Queen

Admiral Sampson Black Hawk \*Cullingfordii J. Shrimpton

C. J. Salter Col. D. Appleton Golden Dome Major Bonaffon \*Monrovia F. S. Vallis Robt. Halliday Mrs. Robt. Foerderer

## Omega Percy Plumridge Yellow Eaton

M. Fromont

BRONZE

#### **Brutus** \*Kate Broomhead Pluto

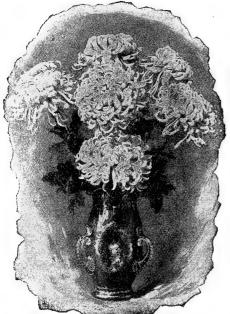
\*R. B. Laird OSTRICH PLUME Child of Two Worlds F. J. Taggart Louis Boehmer

#### WHITE

\*Clementine Touset White Coombes \*Estelle Frank Hardy G. S. Kalb Mile. Angele Laurent \*Ivory

Jeannie Nonin Mrs. Jerome Jones
\*Mrs. H. Robinson
Mrs Egan
Mrs. W. H. Buckbee
Miss F. A. Constable
Silver Wedding

Timothy Eaton



Alice Byron.

Admiral Sampson—A tall, erect - growing variety. Color deep, rich crim-son, with bronze reverse; v e r y fine

Alice Byron—Color purest white, with smooth clear, smooth florets. This will be found an extraordinary fine exhibition variety.

Frank Hardy
—An ideal white
flower of great
depth; of the incurved petal Japanese type; a remarkably strong, healthy grower.

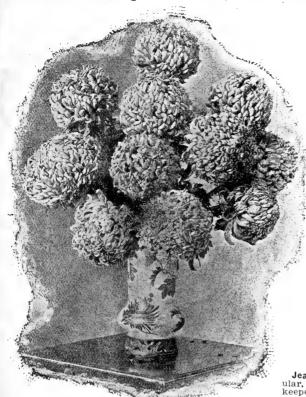
F. S. Vallis— An immense Japanese flower, Japanese flower, yellow, deepening to a fine citron s h a d e. Long p e t a l s twisting and reflexing into a broad, d e e p bloom as large as Madame Caras Madame Carnot, and far su-perior to that variety, a n d easy to grow. Extra fine.



PLEASE READ SCHEDULE OF CLUB RATES AND EXCEPTIONS ON PAGE ONE BEFORE SENDING ORDER.

## General Collection of Chrysanthemums—Continued

Price, 8 cents each; eight for 50 cents; if left to our selection we will send eighteen for \$1.00



Kate Broomhead.

Kate Broomhead—A grand exhibition variety, producing a massive flower of golden-amber or orange—in fact, the color is much the same as in the fine old variety, Source d'Or, which has never been surpassed.

Golden Dome—Golden sport from Yellow Eaton. looming time, full mid-season and later; shows a ttle variation in foliage but loses none of the Eaton Blooming beauty.

lvory—Unexcelled for pot culture or cutting; pure white flower of exquisite form and finish; has been shown in grand shape at all recent exhibitions; it is especially noticeable for its grand globular form, its Dahlia-like petals and absolute purity of color.

John Shrimpton—Rich velvety-crimson—the finest red Chrysanthemum extant; has won many prizes on account of its many good qualities.

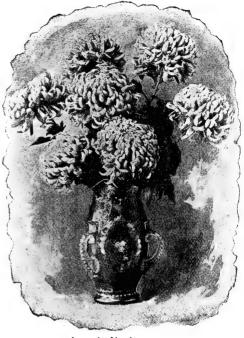
Millicent Richardson—A monster in size, being very large and massive. Color a beautiful rosy-violet. Very fine for exhibition purposes. If you only want one variety, buy this sort.

Mrs. H. W. Buckbee—A fine, pure white, slightly incurving outer petals reflexing, strong stems clothed with handsome foliage. At its best the last of October. Its fine keeping qualities and pure color should gain for this variety a place among the very best varieties.

Maud Dean—An immense pink variety; finely incurved; petals broad, shell-shaped. One of the largest flowers exhibited in the fall shows. Almost a pure shell-pink. Received silver medal at Philadelphia and awarded certificates of merit at New York and Philadelphia.

Striped Chrysanthemum, Mrs. Egan—The flowers are of large size. The outside of the petals is a soft creamy-white, the inside striped and tinted with a soft rose shade. The entire shading of the blossoms is so delicate that the effect produced is a soft, glowing salmon-pink and creamy-white.

T. Carrington — A very large Japanese incurved; color carmine-rose, with silvery reverse. Fine for exhibition. A great prize winner.



Jeannie Nonin.

Jeannie Nonin—Of the largest size, perfectly globular, finely finished, an easy doer, and a splendid keeper and shipper. This variety is queen of commercial whites, the color being very pure.

Mrs. Jerome Jones—Large creamy-white incurved Japanese, sometimes showing a tinge of pink; high, round flower. One of the best Chrysanthemum flowers up to date. Indispensable for exhibition. Grand stem and foliage.

Mrs. Coombes—An extra fine very early pink variety of the largest size, blooming just after Glory of the Pacific and before Pink Ivory. Color beautiful rosepink. It is a fine dwarf grower. This variety will prove exceedingly valuable on account of its earliness and large size.

Mrs. F. A. Constable—An exceptionally fine variety for exhibition purposes. A pure white, with petals tubular their entire length, incurving to a whorl. An exceedingly artistic flower. A variety that has taken prizes at many of the late shows.

Mrs. Robt. Foerderer—A fine globular of unique color, soft creamy-yellow with light amber shadings, broad incurving petals, and ideal stem and growth.

Mile. Angele Laurent—Four feet, with fine stem and good foliage up to the flower; an extra fine commercial white, incurving, compact and of splendid texture.

Mrs. Mrs. Plant—Enormously large, fine globular form, good size, broad, grooved petals and extra fine shade of rose-pink; florets show the bright shade to its best advantage.

New Bronze-Red Chrysanthemum, Pluto—A very odd and beautiful variety. The upper side of the petals are red, and the under side is bronze-yellow, the two colors making a charming contrast; very distinct. distinct.

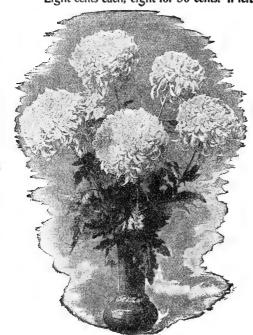
variety, of buttercup-yellow; bright and glistening; was awarded the premium at the American Institute show, in the class of "fifty any variety," against all competitors.

Robt. Halliday—Is still near the top of the list of early yellows. It has taken several years to show its possibilities, but this variety has attained wide popu-

Robt. B. Laird—An incurved Japanese variety. Solid and globular petals, broad and deeply grooved, inside orange-red, outside old gold. A monster variety.

#### GENERAL COLLECTION OF CHRYSANTHEMUMS == Continued.

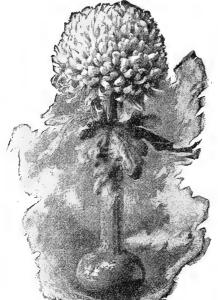
Eight cents each; eight for 50 cents. If left to our selection, we will send eighteen for \$1.00.



Mrs. Henry Robinson.

Mrs. Henry Robinson—In the entire Chrysanthemum family there is no grander white variety, it is of the most popular style—immense incurving, broad channeled petals of great substance and the purest white—can be used a few days earlier, but it is a sin to cut it until the center petals have begun to develop; from a flat incurved form it gradually account to the content of the con to cut it until the center petais have begun to develop; from a flat incurved form it gradually changes into a perfect ball of snow.

Pink Ivory—A beautiful variety, closely resembling the popular Ivory in every respect except color. When first open it is almost pure white, gradually changing in color to a beautiful light pink.



Golden Eagle

Marie Liger.

Marie Liger—An extra large, globular Japanese variety with broad petals, color pearl-pink, deepening to rosy-lavender at the base of petals; stem and foliage perfect. Makes a fine bush plant.

The Yellow Eaton — A bright yellow sport from the strong enough to hold up the monster blooms, which do not show coarseness. It is strictly A No. 1.

White Coombes—Growers who value so highly the grand early pink, Mrs. Coombes, will be delighted with its white sport offered herewith, valuable as an October white where big, fine blooms are needed.

Wm. Duckham—The sensational variety of late years. Color a deep, clear pink, much darker shade than any other listed. Incurved with a broad petal. The flower is very large, measuring nine inches

with a broad petal. The flower is very large, measuring nine inches in diameter and supported by a long, stiff stem with good foliage. An exceedingly strong grower and comes in flower about November 5th.

## **NEW CHRYSANTHEMUMS**

#### = = = Late Introductions = = =

Price, 10 cents each; the set of six for 50 cents.

Golden Glow—Bright yellow, of velvety finish; fine stem and foliage. Flower five and one-half inches in diameter, elegant in form. The very best early yellow, Blooms from August 20 to September 10. Golden Eagle—A new variety which will prove one of the most valuable yellow Chrysanthemums ever introduced. It will prove as great a favorite as the grand yellow Major Bonaffon. This sort has been fairly tested this year, and at the Chrysanthemum shows the large vases of it are attracting unusual attention. The color is a deep yellow, flower of compact, incurved form, with a strong stem holding the flower quite erect. The foliage grows well up to the flower. This variety was awarded the sweepstake prize at the Chicago Chrysanthemum show. Chicago Chrysanthemum show.

Chicago Chrysanthemum show.

Intensity—Form reflexed, showing only the bright crimson, upper surface of petals. Stem slender, but sufficiently wiry to carry the flower erect. A bright crimson, in perfection November 20th to 30th.

John K. Shaw—Very solid Japanese incurved; large in size, fine light pink, splendid stem and foliage; grows to a height of three and a half feet and blooms about October 15. An exceptionally fine variety for commercial use, also as a pot plant.

Lavender Queen—A new and distinct coloring in Chrysanthemums; a soft lavender-pink. Flower is large with outer petals reflexed and center erect. A grand addition to the list of 'Mums.

Miss Clay Frick—This is a white sport from the grand prize-winning variety, Wm, Duckham. The flowers are incurved with bright petals, very large and held up by strong stems with good foliage.

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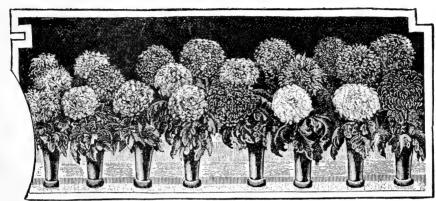
#### Our Exhibition Collection of

# Large-Flowering Chrysanthemums

On this page we have listed and illustrated one of the grandest collections of Chrysanthemums that has ever been offered to the public, not one, but all of them are up to date varieties.

It occurs to us that out of such a large collection it would be almost impossible for you to come to any conclusion as to what varieties to select, so we give you the benefit of our experience, selecting eighteen varieties that we can recommend as among the best and most valuable up-to-date. They are good healthy growers, early and abundant bloomers, and bear flowers of the largest size and most beautiful colors. Many of them have taken first prizes at the great shows and all are recognized as among the very best of their respective classes.







#### **EXHIBITION COLLECTION ILLUSTRATED**

Black Hawk—Dark velvety-crimson. Extremely fine grown in sprays. Beautifully reflexed; shows no reverse. (President Roosevelt's favorite variety.)

Brutus—Robust habit. Petals hook up at the end, showing the light straw reverse; upper surface bright yellow, shading to red at the base. The flower, being flat, shows the three colors to advantage. The most beautiful combination of color yet produced. Five feet high, seven inches in diameter. Awarded first-class certificate by the C. S. A. at Boston.

C. J. Salter—Japanese incurved, deep canary-yellow. A lovely monster, fully nine inches across. Outer petals partly quilled and drooping, while the center builds up a mammoth incurved. Distinct from all others. One of the strongest growers.

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Col. D. Appleton, The New Yellow—After thorough tests this new Chrysanthemum has proved to be one of the finest yellows ever sent out. It is an ideal exhibition variety, with flowers of immense size, measuring twenty-two inches in circumference and of great depth. Flower is a magnificent Japanese incurved, with lower petals reflexed, and not showing any center. Besides its immense size and beautiful shade of clear yellow, another point in its favor is its almost faultless stem and foliage, growing fully up to the flower.

Clementine Touset—The bloom is the largest obtainable white for the date, having received the C. S. A. certificate on October 8th. It is one of the most lasting varieties, either on or off the plants; has splendid stem and foliage. The finest early commercial variety of recent years; a very profitable sort.

Cullingfordii—Exceedingly brilliant crimson, richly shaded with scarlet. Florets are of a beautiful, rich, velvety texture.

Dr. Enguehard—Japanese incurved. One of the best introductions of recent years; has been awarded highest honors wherever exhibited. Color a true pink, without the least trace of purple. Stem and foliage perfect. Equally valuable for exhibition or commercial purposes. Perfectly double. Every flower is perfect; mid-season variety.

Estelle—Produces extra-sized flowers of the purest white. Fine, deep form, with foliage evenly distributed along stem. Marketable blooms were cut on October 4.

Glory of the Pacific—An extra early pink, being in good shape for cutting October 8th. It is of fine size and depth, with broad petals, which reflex, showing the clear pink color to excellent advantage.

Leila Fijkins—A lovely shade of pink, fully seven and a half inches when well grown; habit very stout, with beautiful foliage; winner of many prizes.

Major Bonaffon—Color soft, clear yellow, very full globular shaped flower, six to seven inches across, crowded with fine incurved petals. In perfect form and finish, like Ivory at its best. Habit dwarf, keeping qualities excellent. Foliage well up to the flower, stiff stem. This is an ideal Chrysanthemum.

Monrovia—One of the very earliest bloomers, coming into bloom at the same time as Marion Henderson. Flower good sized and perfectly round, of a pleasing shade of deep yellow, with perfect stem and foliage.

Omega—Beautiful light yellow with broad yet wellrounded flowers, often, under good cultivation, reaching seven and one-half inches in diameter. Well recommended by all growers of Chrysanthemums.

October Frost—An exceptionally fine variety for exhibition purposes. A pure white, with broad, slightly incurved petals. Even when the flower is fully open it does not show a center. Strong grower, with heavy foliage, and one of the earliest to flower. A variety that has taken prizes at many of the late shows.

Rosiere—A fine double, deep rose-pink that, avoiding the common fault of most early pinks, does not fade. It is of dwarf habit, with heavy foliage and immense blooms seven and one-half to eight inches across.

Silver Wedding—A grand white variety. Purest white with broad, reflexed petals, forming a bold, handsome flower, seven inches in diameter by five inches deep. One of the most distinct varieties.

Timothy Eaton—One of the largest of the Japanese incurved type, and winner of every cup and prize for which it was ever entered. Purest white of true globular shape. In habit of growth and length of stem it is everything that could be desired.

W. F. McNeice—Midseason. A large and handsome variety. The petal has good substance, and the color of the flower is lavender-pearl, shading to a rich, glowing pink at the center.

We offer this Grand Collection of Eighteen Large-Flowering Chrysanthemums for \$1.00. In ordering please ask for "EXHIBITION COLLECTION."



Child of Two Worlds.

## OSTRICH PLUME CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Price 10 cts. each: Set of 5 for 40 cts.

Below we offer a grand collection of these unique Chrysanthemums. The term "Ostrich Plume" is applied to this type on account of the feathery growth with which the petals are thickly covered.

F. J. Taggart-Most striking novelty of many years, and decidedly the best of all the plumed, or hairy varieties; a great advance over all yellows in this class, being perfectly double and the plush-like hairs much more dense. Color light yellow, with old gold and bronze shadings. Flowers large, five inches across and very double.

Louis Boehmer—Has a wonderful hair-like growth of excrescence. Color most beautiful shade of lavender-pink, shaded silvery-pink in ends of petals, Flowers splendidly incurved, inside of petals deep rose. Flowers enormous.

M. Fromont-The only red Ostrich Plume; a fine, incurved red, nicely plumed; nearly globular in form.

Perle of Lyonaise—Ostrich Plume type. Flowers very large, of a clear golden-yellow color. Plant is vigorous in growth and flower is borne upright on stout stem.

Child of Two Worlds—(Pure white.) This grand sport from Louis Boehmer was well received, having many admirers at the shows. Like the parent, it is a strong grower, of good habit, considered as the best white of the hairy type, and well deserves a prominent place in any set of this peculiar style of Chrystott

#### GRANDMOTHER'S HARDY GARDEN 'MUMS

The fragrant, reliable, old fashioned Chrysanthemums that reigned supreme in the garden corners and alongside the house, in our grandmother's home.

Price, 8 cents each; four for 25 cents.

Autumn Glow-Rose shaded crimson; very showy. Golden Queen-Beautiful clear golden-yellow; fine form and good size.

Victory-A fine large white.

Old Homestead-A beautiful combination of light and bright pink.



Group of Hardy Pompon Chrysanthemums.

#### HARDY POMPON CHRYSANTHEMUMS

These small flowered 'Mums are becoming very popular again, as they are the only perfectly hardy ones we have, and give showers of bloom long after frost in the fall, after most other flowers are gone.

Price, 8 cents each; four for 25 cents.

Alleen—Deep lilac-pink, compact form.

Attila—Light apricot, tinted rose.

Diana—The most beautiful of white pompons, pure in color, of full, fluffy form; very early; extremely useful to every grower of cut flowers.

Ethel—Blush-white, good size; great keeper.
Fred Peele—Deep crimson; tipped gold.

Lulu—Lovely pure snow-white; first class in every respect.

respect.

Mrs. Vincent—Large, deep purplish-rose.
Oneita—Bright, clear yellow; the best yellow variety out.

Zenobia-Bright pure yellow.

#### CHOICE NEW SINGLE CHRYSANTHEMUMS

The single-flowering forms have become very popular in Europe, and are attracting much attention here. For cutting they are very beautiful.

Belle of Weybridge—Chestnut terra-cotta, a fine

Golden Star—Fine deep yellow of rich shade; elegant in form; makes lovely sprays; stems good.

#### TWO SEPTEMBER FLOWERING CHRYSANTHEMUMS

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Price, 8 cents each; two for 15 cents.

Carrie—Golden-yellow; four inches across; grand pot plant, does well also for bench cutting in September.

Esperance—Milk-white; a vigorous grower, blooming from September to November; two and a half feet high; extremely free.

# GERANIUMS GENERAL COLLECTION Price \*\*

Geraniums were natives of South Africa, from whence they were introduced into England as early as 1690. During the intervening centuries, and especially of recent years, their improvement has been very marked, both in size of the individual flower and the truss, which is wonderful when compared with the flower of a dozen years ago. Many of the single flowers are larger than a silver dollar, and the trusses are immense balls of vivid color; while in color we find from the purest white to delicate rose, brilliant scarlet, richest crimson, and many other shades. They are the most popular bedding and pot plants in cultivation. Everybody grows them because they would not know how to get along without them. There are millions of Geraniums planted each year, and the demand is still on the increase. Nothing can be more beautiful than a bed of Geraniums; it is a dazzling sight throughout the entire summer. The brighter the sunshine the more brilliant and beautiful they become. They seem to delight in our hot, dry summers. They are equally desirable for winter blooming, but if wanted for this purpose they should be grown in pots and not allowed to bloom much during summer. Alcibiades—One of the best and showiest of the fancy Aureoles; bright rose color with white center; flower very large; one of the finest in the fancy section, and a very strong grower.

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Alphonse Ricard—An excellent semi-double, a strong grower, dwarf and branching. Produces immense trusses of bloom; color bright orange-

red. B. K. Bliss—A splendid bedder, blooming without intermission and standing the sun well. The flowers are beautiful, deep, rich scarlet; fine large florets of most perfect circular form; best shaped flower of its class. Bertha de Pressily—Absolutely the only double pure delicate pink Geranium that does not fade in summer. One of the most free and continuous bloomers, the flowers of a well-grown plant completely covering the foliage. In growth it is one of those short jointed compactly formed plants that always make beautiful specimens.

Beauty Poitevine—Semi-double. One of the

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Bed of Gold—Artists in color who have for the past two seasons seen it flower declare it to be a rich orange-scarlet shade of the most brilliant color. The flowers are of the largest size, most perfectly shaped in large trusses, opening freely at all seasons.

Bruanti—Semi-double; color of the flower a vermilion-red, a most pleasing shade. The flowers are absolutely perfect in shape, contour and make-up: trusses excentionally large, and

and make-up; trusses exceptionally large, and borne in immense spherical balls often measuring eight inches in diameter. The best scar-

bedder extant, ishop Vincent—The handsome flowers are Bishop Bisnop Vincent—The handsome flowers are bright cherry, mixed with solferino in a most charming manner. The flowers are of a large size, and are carried on magnificent, large, massive trusses. A very profuse bloomer; stands the hottest sun without scorching.

Colosus—Florets quite circular, semi-double, two and one-half inches in diameter; truss also fine. The color is very beautiful, a rich shade of rosy-crimson. Very free in bloom. One of the very largest and finest among the double reds.

double reds.

California—Entirely distinct from any Geranium yet offered. Flowers double, of the most dazzling vermilion-scarlet shaded with orange at base of petals, touched with the tints from the dawn of day, novel and superb effect; trusses very large, often measuring five inches in diameter. A remarkably free bloomer.

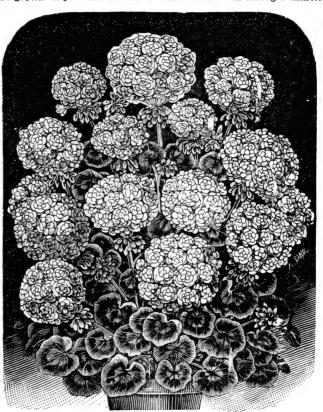
Comtesse de la Baume—One of the most beautiful rose-colored varieties, either for growing in pots or hedding out.

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Contraste—Among the most beautiful of new double Geraniums is Contraste. The flowers and trusses are very large. Lower petals orange and carmine, upper petals clear orange, making a striking contrast of colors that is beautiful.

Decorator—A variety very similar to A. Ricard, the flower a trifle larger, the color a bit deeper; a grand grower, imported from England, where it is very highly valued as a bedder.

Eulalie—Clear salmon, shading to pearly-white round the eye; a lovely delicate color, and one of the most perfectly formed flowers, both in pip and truss, ever seen. Some of our last novelties in this shade were so good that we quite despaired of ever making any



Countess of Hartcourt.

advance upon them, but this is a genuine surprise in every way.

Countess de Hartcourt-In the Countess de Harcourt we have the finest double white Geranium ever introduced, and, unlike other double white Geraniums, it is suitable for bedding and flowers as profusely as the best single varieties. It is a dwarf, compact-growing variety, with handsome banded foliage of a light variety, with handsome banded foliage of a light healthy green. The perfect double flowers are unsur-passed for cut flowers. They are borne in large trusses, and are spotless snowy-white, retaining their pure whiteness even in the heat of summer. In the fall the plants can be taken in the house, where they will again bloom profusely.

Emerson-A most charming variety. having large trusses of double flowers of clear nankeen-salmon.

Francis Perkins—Color a bright pink. The blossoms are perfect in form and borne well and clear above the foliage.

Fire Brand—Color a dazzling flame scarlet, fine, prominent truss, flowers large and of great substance, an excellent bedder and pot plant.

## General Collection of Double Geraniums-Continued

Price, 8 cents each; any seven for 50 cents; fifteen for \$1.00

Harriet Thorpe-he handsomest ght flowers we The have yet seen. Delicate blush with with pearl-pink, edge of each flower having a wire-like edge of deep pink, resembling a Picotee more than Geranium; trusses large and well shaped.

nubert Charron -Beautiful semi double flowers, pure white, with a reddish - carmine band around each petal, frequently delicately mottled throughout th throughout the whole flower. Excellent as specimen pot plants or for summer bedding.

Jean Viaud-The grandest pink Geranium we have grown. Flowers semi-double, two to two and one-half inches in diameter, one-half made up into very large trusses. Of a beautiful, clear, rosy-pink color, with distinct white blotch at the cen-ter. The plant itter. The plant it-self is a rapid, vigorous grower, yet compact and shape-As near perfection as a Geranium

tion as a Geranium can be, both in freedom of bloom and ease of cultivation.

John A. Doyle—This remarkable Geranium is a cross between Grand Chancellor and Bruant, and is destined to take the most prominent place in bedding or pot Geraniums. It is a strong, vigorous grower, throwing its trusses up well above the foliage; of enormous size and of the richest brilliant vermilion-scarlet. It is a phenomenal bloomer.

La Favorite—La Favorite is a pure double white Geranium, as free-flowering as the single varieties, and which can be used for planting in beds for fur-nishing a supply of beautiful white flowers for vases, etc., or for pot culture for winter forcing.

Le Soleil—Without exception the most intense scar-let bedding Geranium on the market. Very effective when planted in masses; a perfect keeper.

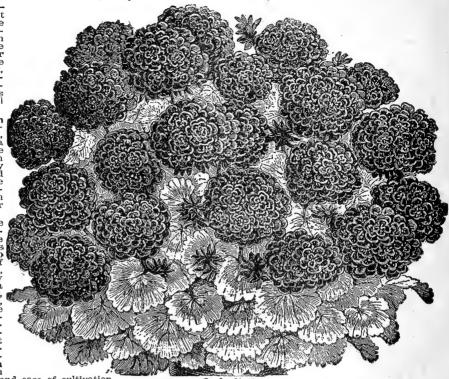
Louis Fihol—Bright orange-scarlet, shaded salmon; plant very free and flowers very perfect. A good va-

Miss Frances E. Willard—This very choice variety originated with this establishment in 1888, being one of several seedlings raised from seed obtained from a flower of White Swan. It is of vigorous growth; the flower stalks are very long and are carried well above the foliage; the color is a delicate bush shaded with pearl-pink, a most charming piece of shading.

Mrs. Buchner—This grand new variety is one of the best bedders of the class. The constitution and growth are excellent; the trusses are exceedingly large on long foot stalks, the florets are very large and of a magnificent pure snow-white; never out of bloom; one of the most desirable of the family.

Mme. Landry—Flowers very large, immense trusses on long, rigid stems; semi-double. Plant remarkably free from bloom, being a mass of flowers until the end of the season; color rich salmon, shaded orange, edge of petals a brighter shade than the rest of the flower; a beautiful and distinct variety.

Mme. Jaulin—Has been pronounced the finest of all the delicate pink or blushed varieties. Plant is of dwarf but robust habit of growth, flowers of good size and very abundant. Center of flower delicate pink, outside pure white. Attractive variety.



S. A. Nutt.

Nutt-This is the darkest and richest double Geranium grown. It is a very bright, dark, deep, rich velvety-maroon, an excellent bedder and a perfect pot plant; one that must find its way into every collection; always in bloom.

always in bloom.

Marquis de Castelaine—A giant among Geraniums.

Produces a wealth of bloom the whole season. Flowers two inches and over in diameter. Trusses of bloom five to seven inches across. Petals broad, arranged to form a round flower of perfect shape. Color deep

ers two inches and over in diameter. Trusses of bloom five to seven inches across. Petals broad, arranged to form a round flower of perfect shape. Color deep rosy-scarlet, shading into pure scarlet at the edge of upper petals. One of the best red Geraniums.

Ora Hill (New Semi-Double)—This American-bred novelty has all the marks of a good one. The growth is short, pointed, compact and bushy; heavily zoned foliage; unusually attractive. Flowers are borne freely in nicely rounded trusses. Deep glowing cerise.

Queen of Fairies—Large round, double flowers; color blush-white with rich flesh-colored center. Strong grower; very desirable; one of the very best varieties for bedding, on account of its standing the dry, hot weather so well.

Richelieu—No Geranium in our list is more attractive. Individual flowers are of good size, borne in close, round trusses. Color bright cherry-scarlet. One of the most profuse bloomers.

Rosebud Geranium—Florets like perfect rosebuds. The habit of growth is dwarf and compact, making this variety one of the most desirable for pot culture. The novelty and merit, however, are principally in the flower, and perfect trusses of miniature rosebud florets which are wonderfully attractive and pleasing. The color is bright scarlet, flamed with purple shadings, and the substance most lasting

Sir Trevor Lawrence—A unique variety, with very large trusses of berfect shazed flowers with round

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Sir Trevor Lawrence—A unique variety, with very
large trusses of perfect shaped flowers with round
petals. Color an exquisite shade of rosy-peach.
Thos. Meehan—Fine semi-double, bright orangemagenta; flowering freely in large trusses of well
opened flowers with distinctly fluted petals.
Triumphant—This plant is very dwarf and bushy,
but vigorous, Monstrous trusses on long foot-stalks.
Color a rich salmon, intermingled with white.

General Collection of SINGLE GERANIUMS Price, 8c each. Selection of any 7 for 50c; any 15 for \$1.00.

Alice of Vin-cennes - Border of intense scar-let, forming a band around the body color of rosy-pink, heavveined with scarlet, center white; a very brilliant combination of colors. One of the best' single Geraniums for bedding; ex-tremely showy. Albion—One of

the finest of single whites; pure in color, im-mense in size, of circular form, and, best of all. strong o f healthy consti-

tution. Clyde—A single scarlet Geranium of Bruant type. A sport from Mrs. E. G. Hill, in every respect like its

parent, except color, which is pure scarlet of soft, even shade. Floret immense, two and one-half to three inches in diameter. Trusses fourteen to sixteen inches in circum-Countess of Derby -

Mottled salmon, fiery center; shading off to a white margin. A great favorite.

Gen. Fitzhugh Lee-Very large florets of the show-iest arrangement of white and crimson; a fine grower

and standing the sun well.

Granville—Floret perfectly round; a lovely bright pink; flowers are of the largest size and excellent form; trusses very large and spreading.

Godfrey Cavegnac—Rich, deep scarlet, with a large white eye; florets of good size and round form. A rare variety of great beauty.

Gen. Leonard Wood—A variety unique in color and of fine size and form of floret. It is of a bright crimson-rose color, with large white blotch; very bright and fine; belongs to the Aureole type, in an entirely new combination of color.

Hecla—Crimson-scarlet or carmine of the loveliest shades; florets large and finely formed. One of the

finest fancy reds.

Jasper—Bright orange flowers deeply shaded; white

eye.
L'Aube—Enormous-sized trusses, large, round florets, pure snow-white, retaining its pureness the entire season; in freedom of bloom, splendid habit and growth of plant, we believe this to be the very best single white up to date.

Mrs. E. G. Hill—Single; florets two and one-half inches. The center of each petal is soft, light salmon, bordered with rosy salmon and veined deep rose. Frequently throws six petals.

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Madame Bruant—This might properly be called the Pansy-flowered Geranium. Fine trusses of bloom in great profusion; individual flowers large, of fine shape, center of flower white, veined with carmine-lake, the five petals regularly and distinctly bordered with bright

Mile. L. Moyot—A variety with striped flowers; very distinct from others of its class. Large white center, bordered with vermilion; very free; constant in bloom;

extra fine for massing.

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M. P. Morian—Plant very free, enormous trusses, large flowers of rosy-salmon; center white, surrounded by a halo of bright salmon.

Master Christine—Bright rosy-pink, shaded lighter to the center. A fine one for bedding or pot culture.

Madonna—A magnificent bedding variety; trusses are of extraordinary size, almost Pansy form; the color is a soft, light pink, a beautiful and distinct shade.

Nellie Woods—We feel like calling this the queen of all the single, round-flowering varieties. Floret is of enormous size, perfectly round; the color is rich, glowing crimson-scarlet; a very telling color.

Phyllis—Pale salmon-rose; one of the most delicately eautiful flowers imaginable. The blooms are very beautiful flowers imaginable. The blooms are very large and of faultless form; plant dwarf and compact.

Richmond Beauty—A brilliant scarlet-crimson, with large white feather on the two upper petals; floret round; color clear and striking. Probably the finest fancy bedding single extant.

Scarlet Cloth-Splendid rich shade of scarlet; extra

large floret and truss.

Souvenir de Mirande—Round florets, upper petals cream-white, with a distinct rosy-pink border; lower petals salmon-rose, streaked pure white; a most novel

Tempest—A brilliant orange, still the nearest approach to yellow among the single Geraniums; very dazzling color.

Tiffin—A fine seedling offered after a thorough test of several years. In this time it has proved itself to be a practical Geranium of the highest quality. Its flower color is pure scarlet; leaves all green with no zone. Tiffin is remarkable for the great number of histography of its quarter and its blossoms it bears, the large size of its cluster, and its

sturdy growth.

Wedding Ring-This Geranium took precedence over any Geranium we grow the past summer for the excellence and great beauty of its flowers. It is a Geranium that one never tires of. Dazzling orange-scarlet florets, circular and slightly cupped, giving it the appearance of a beautiful ring.

# IVY-LEAVED GERANIUMS

A splendid class of Climbing or Trailing Geraniums; adapted for baskets, vases, rock work and trailing on trellises,

# DOUBLE-FLOWERING VARIETIES

Price, 10 cents each; any three for 25 cents.



New Ivy Geranium, Alliance.

Alliance—Hybrid between the Ivy and the Zonal, with the vigor of the latter and the finish of the former; a grand plant for vases and veranda boxes as well as for special bedding; color blush-white, feathered in rosy-crimson; flowers semi-double, on long stems above the glossy foliage. A grand new Ivy.

Achievement—Another grand English novelty, being a true cross between the Ivy and the Zonal class. It has the habit and texture of the Zonal, with the form of Ivy follage, and also of the Ivy bloom. Color pure self-rose with white eye, immense in size, on long stems, freely produced.

Col. Baden-Powell—The flower is of enormous size, the largest among Ivies. The color varies at times from pearl-white to soft blush, exquisitely beautiful.

Camille Flammarion—A beautiful variety and a general favorite with all the lovers of the Ivy-leaf varieties. Flowers large, full, cup-shaped and a deep rose color.

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Charles Turner—Color light scarlet with soft rose tint, two upper petals veined with crimson.

Galilee—Rich, deep pink; large flowers of good substance, and not only flowers in summer, but makes a beautiful plant for the window in winter.

dow in winter.

Incomparable — Trusses very large; florets immense and very regular in form; quite full; the color is an exquisite shade of rosy-carmine. Nothing finer.

Joan of Arc—The flowers are perfectly double, white as snow, and literally cover the plant when in full bloom. The foliage is extremely handsome, the dense, glossy-green leaves making it a most effective background for the great clusters of snow-white flowers. for the great clusters of snow-white flowers.

Mrs. Hawley—One of the handsomest Ivy Geraniums ever introduced. Immense trusses of large florets, deep, bright pink in color, ap-proaching scarlet; upper petals feathered with maroon. Flowers quite double.

P. Crozy—The flowers are brilliant scarlet, borne in the greatest profusion; the habit is dwarf and compact; the flowers are semi-double and last a long time. As a pot plant or in beds it is fine,

Richmond Queen—Most remarkable in size and in beauty of the color arrangement, which is a dainty lavender-pink flamed and dotted in crimson; very large in size of bloom; a good grower, with handsome foliage.

Sabrina-Scarlet-cerise; very robust.



William Langguth.

Fancy=Leaved, Gold and Silver

# TRI-COLORED GERANIUMS

Happy Thought—A tri-colored Geranium with very dark green foliage, having a light creamy, almost pure white center, with a dark zone. Flowers bright scarlet. Price, 10 cents each.

Mrs. Pollock—A magnificent variety, the green leaf disk overlaid by a beautiful bronze-red zone, belted with bright crimson and outwardly margined with golden-yellow; very fine for the parlor or conservatory during the winter and spring. Price, 15 cents each.

Mountain of Snow—The finest of this class for ribbon lines or massing; the center of the leaf is bright green, the outer margin broadly marked with silvery-white; one of the whitest leaved sorts; flowers are bright scarlet. Price, 15 cents each.

New Double Pink Silver-Leaved Geranium, Mrs. Parker—Foliage deep green, with broad, pure snow-white band. Most free flowering of its class; flowers double, of an exquisite shade of deep rosy-pink. Price, 20 cents each.

Double Red Silver-Leaf Geranium, Wm. Langguth—This new variety is the second double-flowered Geranium in the silver-leaved section. It is identically the same in every way with Mrs. Parker, except in color of flower, which is a bright scarlet. The foliage is beautiful; the center of the leaf is a deep green and the outer margin broadly marked with silvery-white. Price, 20 cents each.

# PELARGONIUMS Lady Washington Geraniums

Price, 25 cents each; five for \$1.00.

These are more commonly known as Lady Washington Geraniums. The flowers have deep blotches on the upper petals and bright spots on the lower ones. When in bloom during the months of May and June they are very beautiful and ornamental either as pot plants or in the garden. Although their time of blooming is short, their great beauty, while in flower, makes them very desirable.

### DOROTHY

Beautiful fringed variety. Flowers large; rosy-sal-mon with dark maroon blotch on upper petals, richly shaded plum color around the throat. Its fringed and ruffled edge gives the flower a very light and delicate appearance.

#### BRIDEGROOM

Rosy-blush, of a very pleasing maroon shade; beautifully crimped flowers; dwarf and free.

### PRINCE GEORGE

Attractive; crimped flowers of a soft salmon-pink, lower petals marked with a small blotch of orangemaroon, upper petals blotched blackish-maroon; enormous trusses.

### MADAME THIBAUT

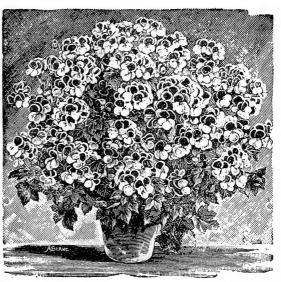
richly marked and blotched with rose; the upper petals marked crimson-maroon with large white center; petals heavily ruffled, giving it a double appearance.

### MRS. ROBT. SANDIFORD

The flowers are two inches across, of the purest snow-white, and very free in bloom. You cannot imagine anything prettier.

#### SANDIFORD'S WONDER

A splendid semi-double white flower of great beauty; very pure in color, occasionally showing a small rich maroon spot in upper petals. The flowers are beautifully fringed and are produced in great profusion all through the blooming season.



Pansy Geranium.

### MRS. LAYAL

(The genuine "Pansy Geranium.") Rounded, satiny, exquisitely marked and colored, this variety is truly Pansy flowered. Its colors range from a large crimsoned chocolate center through pink to white at the edges. Growth characterized by compactness and sturdiness.

### Sweet=Scented Geraniums

Are not grown for their flowers or bloom, but exclusively for fragrance of foliage; indispensable for cut flower work, buttonhole bouquets, etc. We offer the following choice varieties. Price, 10c each; three for 25c.

Rose—Needs no description. Indispensable in the formation of bouquets. Beautiful pink flowers, borne in clusters.

Shrubland Pet—Small light green leaves, very fragrant, pretty rose-colored flowers.

Skeleton-Leaf Rose-Scented (or Dr. Livingston)—Most popular scented Geranium; same as the Rose in all points, except the leaf is more deeply cut or fern-like. The leaves are used for designs and bouquets.

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strong fragrance.

Lemon-Scented-Small leaves, lemon

scented; most pleasing variety.

Mrs. Taylor—Dark green foliage of a
peculiar fragrance; flowers are scarlet, shaped like a Pelargonium, and

borne in great profusion.

Broad-Leaf Rose—This variety resembles the common Rose Geranium, having a thicker leaf not so deeply cut.



Geranium Mrs. Taylor.

### Bronze Geraniums

Price, 15 cents each; four for 50 cents.

Black Hawk — Golden-yellow with broad red zone; red flow-

Corinne -- Clear golden-yellow foliage, with elegant zone, dou-ble, fiery orange colored flow-

Crystal Palace Gem - Broad golden-yellow margin with a central disk of green; dwarf and free.

Exquisite — Large cho chocolate zone, ter; edges variegated, flowers salmon.

Prince Bismarck—Foliage yellowish-green, with narrow zone of deep chocolate; flowers salmon, tipped white; a splendid variety.

# GERANIUMS FOR BEDDING

All know how useful Geraniums are for bedding, and we need not say another word about it to convince you of the fact. We can furnish Geraniums for this purpose in the following colors: Red, white, pink and salmon in either single or double flowering varieties. The directions for laying out a circular Canna bed (as given on page 41, will apply to a Geranium bed, excepting that Geraniums should be planted twelve inches apart instead of fifteen inches. For a border to the Geraniums we would recommend the Silver-Leaved Geranium Madame Salleroi, or Coleus in either red, yellow or fancy leaved.

Price of Bedding Geraniums-Twelve for 75 cents, or 5 cents each if fifty or more are ordered at one time. Price of Madame Salleroi Geranium and Coleus for border—Twelve for 60 cents, twenty-five for \$1.00, or if shipped by express, one hundred for \$3.00.

### REX BEGONIAS

The Begonia Rex is the king of foliage plants, far outshowing all others. Give them a soil composed of rich loam, woods earth and sharp sand. They require a warm, moist atmosphere and a shady situation. Do not allow the sun to strike the leaves while wet, and do not overwater. Nothing can surpass them for the window or conservatory culture; they may be planted in a shady situation under trees or alongside of the house. Rex varieties make immense leaves make immense leaves.

PRICE, 15 CENTS EACH; ANY FOUR FOR 50 CENTS

Bertha McGregor-Leaf long-pointed and with six deep notches; free strong grower, producing foliage in abundance; center of leaf small, dark and palm-shaped, the body of the leaf being solid silver, outlined with bronze. Clementina—The color of the stem and the upper sur-

clementing—The color of the stem and the upper surface of the leaf are beautiful bronze-green, ornamented with large silver dots.

Louise Closson—One of the richest and most beautiful of the Rex family. The coloring is simply magnificent, center of leaf deep bronze with broad band of silvery-rose edged bronze. rose, edged bronze.

Lord Palmerston—Broad-like metallic zone; edge and center dark red, finely dotted over with silver.

Lesoudsii—Finest and largest of any of the Poy for the

center dark red, innely dotted over with silver.

Lesoudsii—Finest and largest of any of the Rex family; impossible to describe in words the beautiful markings of this magnificent Begonia. We consider this the finest of all the Rex family, both in size of leaf and rich coloring.

Mme. Treyve—(Discolor Rex.) One of the upright

growing varieties, but of the distinct form and texture of the true Rex. Narrow edge of brownish plum color, about a very broad soft green zone.

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Magnifica—One of the finest of the Rex. A splendid grower. The leaves are the darkest of all the Rex, and it is the most distinct variety that grows.

Robert George—A fine upright-growing variety. Very large, beautifully lobed, rich, glossy silver leaves with a distinct palmate center of bronze-green.

Rubella.

# Ornamental Begonias

Mrs. A. C. Townsend-Belongs to the Ricinifolia family; leaves are of a charming lustrous metallic-green color; an unusually profuse bloomer; flower of a delicate light pink, borne on long foot stalks. Price, 20c.

Rubella—A very ornamental Indian species, belonging to the Ricinifolia section. The leaves are irregular and blotched red, on a pallid ground; ribs banded with a purplish-brown, under surface red. The flowers are borne on strong stalks one foot above the foliage, in large panicles of pink and white. Price, 15c each.

Ric. Maculata—A very fine variety, with large, pointed leaves on heavy, tall stalks, like Ricinifolia, of velvety texture; a rich brown color, banded with pale green. It bears large sprays of pink flowers on long foot stalks. Price, 20 cents each.



Rubrum—Leaf has a pinkish-metallic luster, which makes it one of the most attractive varieties; leaf is very large, with a smooth edge, and the plant is a vig-

Speculata. Quite a novelty in the type. RexLeaves are in the form of a grape Color leaf. is a bright green, w. backwith of c h o colate; veins of a light peagreen, the whole leaf spotted with silver. In silver. In bloom it is m agnificent, the panicles composed of great num-bers of individual pink blooms, are lifted high and sprav. like quite clear of foliag'e.



Tuberous Rooted Begonias.

# Tuberous Rooted Begonias

The Tuberous Rooted Begonia is the fashionable plant of the day, and richly does it deserve its honors, for in addition to very handsome foliage, it bears a never-ending profusion of the most ravishingly beautiful flowers the whole summer, and then with the coming of cold weather, very obligingly takes a nap until spring, asking no further care through the winter than to be packed in soil away from frost. The enormous size and intense brilliancy of the flowers astonish those who have never seen any but the ordinary house Begonia. The bulbs can be started from March to June and will soon be in full bloom. Must be kept from direct sunshine. A good place for them is on the north side of a house or grape arbor.

Single, separate colors, white, scarlet, pink and yellow, 10 cents each; seven for 50 cents.

Double, separate colors, white, scarlet, pink and yellow. 15 cents each; five for 50 cents. The Tuberous Rooted Begonia is the 'fashionable

# **S** Flowering Varieties BEGO

This beautiful class of plants is deservedly popular. They are suitable for pot culture in the window or the outdoor plant stand. During the greater portion of the year the plants are, in the different varieties, covered with a profusion of graceful, drooping racemes of pink, white, crimson and bicolored buds and blossoms that are exceedingly attractive, and having a waxy, coral-like appearance. The plants themselves are of neat, compact habit, with glossy green leaves in some varieties and exquisitely cut ones in others.

Price, 10 Cents Each, Except Where Noted; Selection of Any Six for 50 Cents; Any Fourteen for \$1.00.



Argentea Guttata.

Argentea Guttata — This variety is an in-troduction of M. Lemoine, and is a cross between Olbia and Alba Picta. This beautiful sort has the silvery blotches of Alba Picta, the grace and beauty of growth of Olbia. It has purple bronze leaves, oblong in shape, with silvery markings, and is in every way a most beautiful Begonia. Produces white flowers in bronzes of bunches on ends of growth stems. Good for house culture.

Alba Perfecta Grandi-flora—We doubt if there is a white-flowered va-riety that equals it. The foliage resembles Rubra in shape, but it is lighter green, while the flower panieles are much handsomer. It is a pure white flowering Begonia of much merit.



variety



Sanguinea.

thickly spotted with silvery-white. Foliage small and elegant.

Sanguineà-Leaves darkest glossy green or olive, under side dark crimson, flowers white, making a charming combination.

McBethii — Shrubby in growth, with very deeply indented leaves, which are fine and small. Very free flowering, being constant the year round. A fine summer bedding plant if given light soil and perfect shade. Put it among your Ferns. White flowers, waxy in texture, carried in panicles.

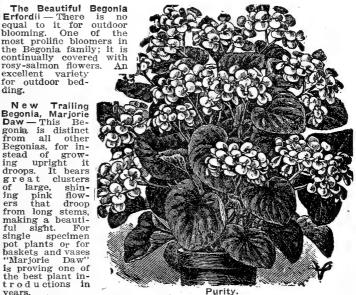


Begonia Alba Picta.



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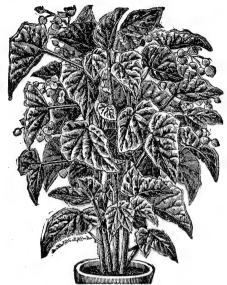
New Trailing Begonia, Marjorie Begonia, Marjorie
Daw — This Begonia is distinct
from all other
Begonias, for instead of growing upright it
droms. It hears droops. It bears great clusters large, pink that Ωf shin-flowing droop ers from long stems, making a beautiful sight. For single specimen pot plants or for baskets and vases "Marjorie Daw" is proving one of the best plant in-troductions in years.



**Purity—The finest pure white Begonia grown.** Its marvelous freedom of bloom and close, compact growth combine to make it one of the finest pot plants. Should be included in every plant collection.

# FLOWERING BEGONIAS—Continued

Price, 10 cents each, except where noted. Six for 50 cents; Fourteen for \$1.00.



Marguerite.

Marguerite—Leaves a bronzy-green, somewhat resembling Metallica, but growing in more bushy form, and easier to handle when grown for market. Large trusses of light, rose-colored flowers freely produced.

M. De Lesseps—The leaf is of silky texture, and is beautifully spotted with silver. Very strong, free-growing variety, that will succeed with any ordinary care, growing rapidly and sending out quantities of beautiful white and pink flowers.

Nitida Alba—One of the most showy Begonias we grow. Blooms in good sized clusters of large flowers; white, delicately flushed rose.

Picta Rosea—A wonderfully free growing Begonia of sterling worth and great beauty. The plant is very compact in growth, forming a dense, well proportioned bush with rich green foliage, spotted with silver. The flower is a rosy-flesh color, shaded with a silvery-pink and enlivened with dense clusters of yellow anthers. One of the most wonderful flowering Begonias within our knowledge. It blooms continually.

President Carnot—A strong growing variety of stiff, upright habit; foliage large, somewhat in style of B. Rubra, but more than twice as large; upper side deep green, under side purplish-red; flowers beautiful coralred in large pendent panicles.

Robusta—This is one of the most peculiar Begonias grown. The stock, stem and under side of the leaf are Indian-red; the upper side of the leaf glossy olive-green. The flower is composed of two wide and two narrow petals, the wide ones being broadcast at the base and terminating in a round point, of a beautiful bright rose.

Sandersoni — Bushy growing variety; glossy deep green leaves; flowers in clusters of drooping, scarlet, heart-shaped buds.

New Begonia, Wettsteini—A beautiful upright growing sort with attractive foliage peculiarly indented, and a lovely shaded coloring, dark, marbled green, shading lighter, flowers bright coral-red in pendent panicles; very free flowering.

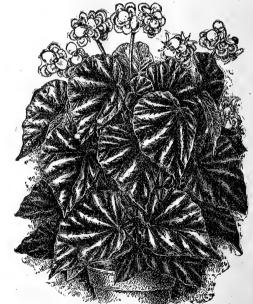
Weltoniensis—A very handsome winter-flowering variety, giving in profusion its lovely pink flowers, easy cultivation.

Zebrina—An erect-growing variety, with a beautiful profusion of pendent leaves. Besides its graceful form, the leaf is distinguished by its glistening silver shading following the leaf, the body being a very dark velvety-green; under side plum color, vein green. Flowers pure white. A beautiful variety.

SPECIAL OFFER Eight Fine Flowering Beselection of Varieties, for 50 CENTS



Rubra—This Begonia is still a great favorite. The flowers are a rich coral-red, hanging in large pendent clusters; these, combined with the rich green foliage, make it one of the best plants for house culture,



Begonia Thurstoni.

Thurstoni—The under side of leaves is a rich, purplish-red, the veinings very prominent, while the face or upper side is a bronzy-green, shaded with crimson and olive, with a peculiar glossy metallic luster over all. Flowers rosy-white, in large clusters well above the foliage. The plant has a fine habit.

# **DWARF CANNAS**—Standard Varieties

These are the Most Popular and Most Magnificent of all Summer-blooming Plants for brilliant Bedding and Massing.

### Price, 10 cents each; six for 50 cents; any fourteen for \$1.00

The Canna, with its elegant tropical foliage, and its brilliant showy flowers, whether bedded out or grown in tubs, is one of our most ornamental plants and is of very easy culture. The improvements made in the Canna in the last few years in size and diversity of color place it in advance of all other plants for bedding purposes. In the following pages we have the cream of all the late and standard sorts. Having discarded all those that show weak points, our customers cannot go wrong on any of these varieties, as every Canna offered has some points of merit. Remember, too, that our Cannas are started plants and not dormant roots, as are often sent out.

Charles Henderson - The standard excellence of all crimson Cannas; bright crimson with pencilings of golden-yellow at center. About four feet in height.

Alphonse Bouvier (The Weeping Canna)—Brilliant deep cardinal flowers in heavy heads that droop gracefully, high above the foliage. Five to six feet.

Duke of Marlboro—Beautiful crimson-maroon; the largest Canna grown. A sturdy, erect grower, with fine metallic-green foliage. Height four feet.

Egandale—Probably the finest bedder of its color, if not of the whole list. Deep soft red, compact spikes of medium size; a wonderfully profuse bloomer, beds of it being literally a mass of red; foliage a beautiful rich purple. Height four and one-half feet.

Eldorado-The flowers are of the largest size, head full and borne well erect above the foliage, while the habit is more dwarf and compact than Madame Crozy. The is more dwarf and compact than Madame Crozy. The color is a rich, pure golden-yellow speckled with a red so light that the general effect, even at a very short distance, is that of a pure golden-yellow. In this we have an ideal yellow Canna, the flowers of full size, and dropping from the spike as soon as faded, leaving the bed always a mass of brilliant color. Height three and one-half feet. one-half feet.



Florence Vaughn.

The Beautiful Spotted Canna, Florence Vaughn—Conceded by all who have seen it to be the finest yellow spotted Canna. Flowers very large, of the most perfect form, with broad overlapping petals, nicely rounded at the ends. Color a brilliant yellow, spotted with bright red. A strong grower and flowers very freely. Height, four feet.

J. D. Eisele—Bright vermilion-scarlet, overlaid with orange; a fine bedder. Height three and a half feet.

Mile. Berat—This is a pink variety of French origin. Entirely distinct from any other sort. It is much the darkest of all the pink Cannas, being dark carmine-pink. Heads of bloom are held very erect and well above the foliage. A showy effective bedder. One of the finest introductions. Height four feet.

Queen Charlotte-(New German Canna.) A most distinct rich crimson-scarlet with wide gold border on every petal. A very handsome plant, medium in height, compact grower; broad green leaves. It is a profuse bloomer, and the flower spike, which is full and well formed, stands well above the leaves, yet not so tall as to appear drawn or ungainly. Height two and one-half to three feet.

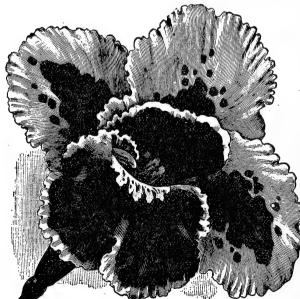


### ORCHID-FLOWERING **CANNAS**

Price, 10 cents each, except where noted; any six for 50 cents.

King Humbert cannot be included in this offer.

America—(4 to 4½ feet.



Italia.

Italia—This wonderful Canna has a wealth of graceful foliage and gorgeous flowers. The three upper petals are golden-yellow with a large blotch of orangescarlet in center of each, the center and lower petals scarlet, with a narrow edge of golden-yellow. Ht. 5 feet.

and overlaid with blood-orange. Five feet

America—(4 to 4½ feet.) The beautiful foliage has a dark background, shaded and flamed

America—(4 to 4½ feet.) The beautiful follage has a dark background, shaded and flamed with green, bronze and purple; flowers are enormous, with a yellow throat and petals of glowing red, flamed and streaked with purple.

Austria—Giant flowers, five to six inches across, in large, bold, erect trusses; deep golden-yellow, dotted with carmine. Strong, sturdy grower, with immense leaves. Height 5 to 6 feet.

Burbank—Gigantic flowers, like Austria and Italia; wonderfully profuse bloomer, and strong grower, producing immense clumps; rich canary-yellow, lower petals spotted crimson. Height 6 ft. "Indiana"—(Six feet.) The foliage of this variety forms a solid mass of green three to four feet high, above which the flower spikes shoot up to a height of six feet, each one bearing fine, big clusters of Orchid-like flowers. Color is a glistening golden-orange, daintilly marked and striped with red. Single blossoms are often seven inches across.

King Humbert—A cross between the Crozy

seven inches across.

King Humbert—A cross between the Crozy and Orchid-flowered families. Flowers are as large as those of any of the Orchid-flowered cannas, yet have the firmness and substance of the Crozy type. Bright orange-scarlet streaked with crimson. Foliage bronze, with brownish green stripes. Grows four to four and a half feet. Price, 15 cents each; four for 50 cents.

Louisiana—A new Orchid-flowering Canna. It is a vigorous grower, producing a thick mass of glossy green foliage, each leaf edged with a narrow purple band. The flowers are immense, often measuring more than seven inches across; color vivid scarlet. A gorgeous beauty.

Pennsylvania—Lustrous, wavy petals of the largest size, in which the deepest shades of orange and scarlet are exquisitely blended. Individual petals, two to two and one-half inches wide, make up flowers and trusses of imposing proportions, the flower stalks rearing their lovely burdens high above the foliage. Height six feet.

Partenope—Flowers of extra large size, the broad, wavy petals glisten like silk; the prevailing color is orange, delicately streaked with scarlet tints, and suffused with salmon; early and a free bloomer; green foliage: five to six feet in height.

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# Beautify Your Lawn With a Bed of Cannas



Beds of Cannas.

# "THE KING OF BEDDERS"

Nothing makes a finer appearance on a Nothing makes a finer appearance on a lawn than a bed of Cannas. It matters not how large it is or indeed how small; if you have a suitable spot that gets the sunshine, plant a bed of Cannas and enjoy the pure beauty of their freshly opened flowers every day, from June till frost. So great is the variety of sizes and colors that there seems no limit to the compinations and places in which these Can-

that there seems no limit to the com-binations and places in which these Can-nas can be successfully used.

For example, the dwarfer kinds may be planted in single or double rows along the walk, or side of the porch; others may be banked against the side of a building or in front of a hedge or a background of shrubs (always placing the shortest kinds in front), or used as a hedge plant they in front), or used as a hedge plant they prettily mark a dividing line where no real barrier is needed, but the best effect of all is produced when many plants of a kind are placed together in masses or large beds, round, square, oval or oblong, or a triangle bed of glowing color for some suitable corner.

### Directions for Laying Out Circular Beds

Always use tallest growing varieties in Always use tallest growing varieties in the center, and then carefully grade each succeeding circle, using dwarf kinds for the outside. Plant one Canna in center of bed, next six Cannas fifteen inches apart in a circular row fifteen inches from center. For each succeeding circle use six more Cannas than were used in the previous circle and make it fifteen the previous circle and make it fifteen inches farther away from the center.

inches farther away from the center. Measure your beds, and you can soon tell just how many plants you need. If you will simply state the color and number you want for each circle or straight line, as the case may be, we will select the proper variety for you. Place them where they will look best on your lawn and with a little care you can have we know of no other plant in the floral.

lawn and with a little care you can have fresh flowers blooming every day for nearly four months of the year. We know of no other plant in the floral kingdom which blossoms so luxuriantly, continuously and beautifully as do these Canna Lliles. If you prefer to have a bed of all one color, please say so when ordering and select any of the following colors: Pink, dark red, light red, orange-scarlet, yellow, yellow with red dots or variegated. We will send any of these colors, but the selection of variety must be left entirely to us. Remember that our Cannas are started plants, not dormant roots, as are often sent out, and will come to you in good growing condition.

For a border to the Canna bed we would recommend red Salvia or Coleus (red or yellow). Salvias should be planted ten inches part and the Coleus eight is place agent.

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Price of Cannas for bedding—Twelve for \$1.00, or 6 cents each if fifty or more are ordered at one time. Price of Salvias for border—Twelve for 60 cents, twenty-five for \$1.00 or one hundred for \$3.50. Price of Coleus for border—Twelve for 60 cents, twenty-five for \$1.00 or one hundred for \$3.00.

# = Fancy Leaved Caladiums

We offer these in ten distinct sorts. We give no descriptions, the richness of coloring is bewildering and impossible to describe. Price, well-dried bulbs, 20 cents each; three for 50 cents; the set of ten distinct sorts for \$1.75.

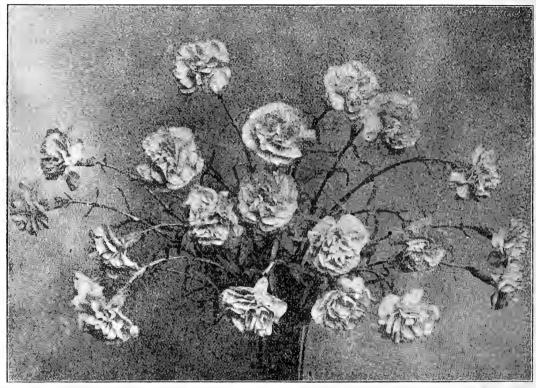
Simply wonderful in the colorings and markings of the leaves, embracing every degree and shade that can be formed of pure white, deep green and intense crimson. Some idea of the manner of these variegations may be formed from our cut. Of special value for pot culture and for window and piazza boxes. When the foliage dies down in the fall, let the soil go dry, then set them away in a warm, dry, frostproof closet, without disturbing the tubers. In the spring turn them out and repot in fresh sandy soil. Or first, they may be quickly and easily sprouted in damp moss set in a warm situation. Most of the varieties planted about June 1st in partially shaded borders succeed admirably as bedding plants



# CARNATIONS===The Divine Flower

For beauty of flower and color, ease of culture, certainty and freedom of bloom, together with exquisite fragrance, this is well called the "Divine Flower." Plants in the open ground quickly make large specimens, and when brought indoors in the fall, produce an abundance of flowers throughout the entire winter. Caration blooms are expensive, don't buy them—grow them yourself. Pinch the plants back frequently during the growing season.

Price, 10 cents each; any seven for 50 cents; set of 15 for \$1.00.



Eldorado—A yellow of free-blooming habit; strong, vigorous plant, erect stems, finely formed flower of fair size; very free. Petals edged with a narrow band of light pink; almost a Picotee in marking. The flower retains its yellow color under artificial light, unlike most yellow varieties.

most yellow varieties. Enchantress—A very pleasing shade of light pink, deepering towards the center. When fully developed, over four inches in diameter: very attractive and fine form; stem is strong and stiff; both out of doors and in the house the growth is ideal; very healthy and of vigorous constitution; very early, free and continuous; needs on special culture to develop its magnificent blooms.

blooms. Golden Gate—This is a pure yellow Carnation, of strong growth and very profuse flowering. There is no stripe at all in it, being a straight out-and-out deep, rich golden-yellow, without any other color whatever, under any circumstances. The florets are large and double as in Buttercup, and taken all in all, it is the very best yellow Carnation out.

Harlowarden—The largest and best of its color, a bright dazzling crimson. Flowers often measure three inches in diameter, and are well supported on long stiff stems. A wonderfully free bloomer, always full of buds.

Lady Bountiful—Large, nicely filled flowers of purest white. Not only good for large sized blooms when given special care, but valuable for garden planting and pot culture. Very sweetly scented with that delightful, old-fashioned clove fragrance lacking in many of the newer Carnations.

Mrs. Thos. W. Lawson—Ranks among Carnations just as "American Beauty" does among Roses—way at the top. Stems stiff and strong; flowers extra large, deep rose-pink; entirely distinct.

Morning Glory—Without exception the leader of all the light pink Carnations; a good formed flower, not crowded with petals, on strong wiry stems. Its pure bright color and early and continuous blooming have in the past two seasons fully proved its commercial value as one of the best pink Carnations of recent introduction.

Prosperity—This is the largest Carnation ever offered. It is a wonderfully free bloomer, considering the monster size that the flowers attain. White, overlaid with pink, in mottles reminding one of the beautiful tints seen in Azaleas.

Rose Pink Enchantress—A lovely rose-pink shade of color put on by the old favorite "Enchantress." The parent's practical wide-awake habit of growth and trustworthy blooming qualities have always made it popular, and this new coloring but adds greatly to an already first-class reputation.

Red Sport—One of the showiest varieties of Carnations we have ever grown. Nothing will equal it for large flowers, for quality and quantity. Color a flaming scarlet; growth strong; hardy; broad foliage, and makes a well formed plant.



# THE BEACON

A splendid new red that blooms throughout a long season. Flowers are gracefully formed, and will average from two and three-quarters to three inches in diameter. Color scarlet, with a brightening dash of orange.

## VICTORY

Exceptionally satisfactory and useful as a cut flower, owing to its great stability, its nice long stems, and the prodigality of its bloom. Color brilliant scarlet.

## WINSOR

Clear silvery-pink, a shade intermediate between Enchantress and Lawson, larger than Lawson and of finer form; of excellent constitution.

## WHITE PERFECTION

All that its name implies. Bloom is abundant, of large size, and immaculate whiteness.

# WHITE ENCHANTRESS.

One of the best whites yet produced, of pure quality, large size and immense production. Shape and habit closely follow the parent Enchantress.

# - - - Double Flowering Hardy Scotch or Sweet May Pinks - - -

These are dwarfer than the Carnation, growing about one foot in height, the colors being of the various shades of maroon carmine and rose, beautifully laced and banded on white ground; flowers perfectly double, clove-scented, and the plants will stand out of doors year after year, being entirely hardy.

PRICE, 10 CENTS EACH; THREE FOR 25 CENTS.

Abbotsford — Deep carmine, marbled with white; rich clove fragrance.

Earl of Carlisle—Various shades, maroon and rose, with white,

Laura Wilmer—A very beautiful new variety with fringed edges; has a very large center, velvety-maroon, surrounded by cream-white.

Her Majesty—Unquestionably one of the finest of the century, and one that will hold its own as long as Pinks are cultivated. Color pure white.





# **FUCHSIAS**

If properly cultivated, and a suitable place be had where the plants are protected from the midday sun, few flowers can equal the Fuchskas in gracefulness and beautiful showy flowers perpetually coming on. The secret of success with Fuchsias is to keep the plants properly watered and nourished to stimulate fresh continuous growth, and consequently flowers. This satisfactory result requires repeated repotting if plants are kept in pots, or if planted out, much mulching with cow manure and watering.

### DOUBLE FLOWERING VARIETIES

Price, 10c each; three for 25c; any seven for 50c.

### Gloire des Marches

It is nearly perfection as to free growing and habit, being strong and bushy. Tube and sepals deep scarlet; corolla very large and double, and pure white.

### Avalanche

Beautiful golden foliage and dark, double violet-purple corolla,

### Phenomenal

The largest Fuchsia we have yet seen. Tube and sepals are bright coral-red, beautifully formed. Corolla, nearly two and one-half inches across, is of the very richest violet shade. Habit is remarkably free, and it blooms more freely than any other large variety.

### Purple Prince

Fine double variety; sepals scarlet; corolla a beautiful distinct blue; very dwarf.

### Rosain's Patri

Strong and bushy, beginning to bloom quite early in the spring and continuing very late. The tube and sepals are brilliant scarlet, thick and leathery in texture; corolla is very large, double and pure white.

### Sapley Freres

Erect grower; very large flower; corolla very double of rosy-violet; long, recurving sepals of bright coral-red.

PLEASE READ SCHEDULE OF CLUB RATES AND EXCEPTIONS ON PAGE ONE BEFORE SENDING ORDER.

# **FUCHSIAS SINGLE-FLOWERING VARIETIES**

Price, 10c each; three for 25c; seven for 50c.



Black Prince.

-This is without question the very fin-Black Princeest single Fuchsia grown for the amateur to cultivate. est single ruensia grown for the amateur to cultivate. It makes a shapely bush, is robust in growth, free from disease and insects, and is probably the freest in blooming. Blossoms of a beautiful waxy-carmine or pink color. Certainly a plant of easy culture.

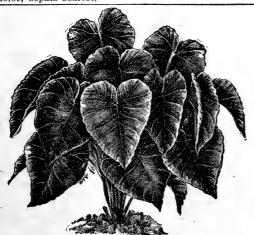
De Mirable—Sepals relieved, bright red, quite large could recover the rose and right.

corolla, rose and violet.

Lord Beaconsfield—This is really one of the most charming and desirable Fuchsias in cultivation. Vigorous growing, free flowering, beautiful habit. Blooms three inches in length of great substance; tube and sepals are a light rosy-carmine, corolla deep carmine.

Lovely—The tube and sepals white; corolla single;

brilliant crimson; tinted magenta,
Speciosa—Well-known variety, producing large flowers two inches in length, tubes and sepals of which are ers two incnes in length, tubes and sepals of which are blush, the corolla crimson. Some plants of this variety grown in eight or nine inch pots will produce from 300 to 500 flowers from December to May. Wave of Life—Foliage bright yellow, corolla bright violet; sepals scarlet.

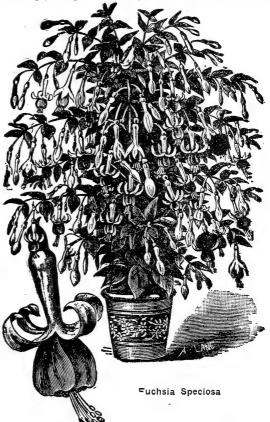


Caladium Esculentum, or Elephant's Ear.

Very effective, and suitable for either a single plant on the lawn, masses in beds or margins of water; its very distinct leaves often attain a length of three feet by twenty inches wide, and have a rich, tropical effect. Price, for nice bulbs of Caladiums, 10 cents each, three for 25 cents, \$1.00 per dozen; large bulbs, 25 cents each, six for \$1.25.



Trailing Queen--The young plants, as they commence growth, creep out to the edge of the pot and then go trailing downward. It continues growing and branching in this way until the vines are a solid wavy mass of the most elegant foliage and flowers. Flowers are borne in large, drooping clusters; very large, long, graceful.



# CONFERNS COM

# MOST BEAUTIFUL OF ALL DECORATIVE PLANTS

These beautiful plants are now generally cultivated. Their great diversity and gracefulness of foliage make them much valued as plants for vases, baskets or rock work, or as specimen plants for parlor or conservatory. Keep them out of the direct sunlight and water carefully, that the delicate roots lying near the surface may never become dry.

Our four-inch pot Ferns of the Boston, Piersoni Elegantissima, Scotti, Barrowsi and Whitmani are especially fine. You can not go wrong in purchasing one or more of these beautiful Ferns.

SPECIAL OFFER--Any five of the following Ferns in nice young plants for 50 cents; any twelve for \$1.00. Strong four-inch pot specimen plants, 35 cents each; any four for \$1.00

#### NEPHROLEPIS PIERSONI ELEGANTISSIMA

A sport of the popular Nephrolepis Piersoni Fern. Much more beautiful, and an improvement over the Piersoni. Is more dwarf and compact, the fronds broader and only half the length. The small side pinnae, or leaflets, are subdivided into perfect miniature fronds; the side pinnae stand at right angles to the midrib of the fronds, on edge instead of flat, giving both sides of the main frond the same beautiful appearance. It is impossible to conceive of the beauty and grace of this wonderful Fern from description—must be seen to be appreciated. Price, nice plants, 15 cents; large plants, 35 cents each.

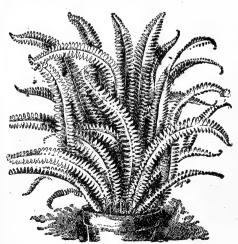
### NEPHROLEPIS EXALTATA BOSTONIENSIS

The Popular Boston Sword Fern.

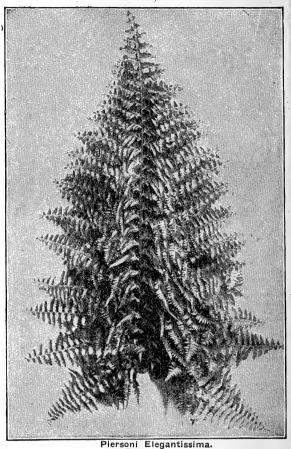
In the vicinity of Boston no other plant is used so extensively as this graceful Nephrolepis, which differs from the ordinary Fern in having much longer fronds, which frequently attain a length of four feet. These fronds arch and droop over very gracefully, on account of which it is frequently called the Fountain Fern. Price, nice plants, 10 cents each; larger size 35 cents size, 35 cents.

### NEPHROLEPIS SCOTTI

Of much dwarfer and bushier growth than the Boston Fern. The fronds droop gracefully, and are not as long and coarse as the Boston. It is a rapid grower, and to see it in all stages of growth from a runner in the bench to a fourteen-inch pot specimen will convince you that it will be in great demand as a house Fern. Price, nice young plants, 10 cents each; strong plants, 35 cents each.



Scotti.





Boston Sword Fern.



Whitmani.

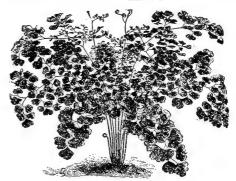
### NEPHROLEPIS. WHITMANI

An improvement on the Nephrolepis Elegantissima, with still more gracefully divided pinnae, giving the whole plant an airy, lace-like appearance; not a single frond has ever reverted to the common Boston Fern. It is of dwarfer and more compact habit than the N. Elegantissima; makes beautiful symmetrical plants even in small sizes, and large specimen plants are beautiful beyond description. Price, nice strong plants, 15 cents each; large size, from four-inch pots, 35c each.

Nephrolepis Barrowsi—Of the "Piersoni" type. The fronds are shorter and lighter, giving the whole plant greater stability and symmetry; finer indentation of the pinnae, making a dainty ruffle. We have discarded Piersoni in favor of Barrowsi. Price, 15 cents each; large plants, 35 cents each.

Pteris Tremula, or Shaking Fern—One of the finest Ferns for house decoration, growing very rapidly and throwing up large, handsome fronds. It makes magnificent specimens, easily grown and very popular. Price, 15 cents each; nice, large plants, 35 cents each.

Pteris Argyrea—(Silver Fern.) A very showy Fern with variegated foliage; fronds large, light green, with a broad band of silver-white down the center of each. Very distinct. Price, 15 cents each; large plants, 35 cents each.



Adiantum Cuneatum.

### DWARF GROWING FERNS FOR DISHES

We have grown a large quantity of small Ferns suitable for Fern dishes. The use of ferneries as ornaments for the dinner table is now very general. Nothing makes so fine an ornament, or is so well adapted for the purpose.

Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents; any seven for 50 cents. Can be furnished from 2½-inch pots only.

Adiantum Cuneatum—(Maiden Hair Fern.) A very beautiful and graceful Fern, its delicate fronds being much used for cut flower work.

Cyrtomium Falcatum—(Holly Fern.) We consider this one of the finest Ferns in cultivation to grow into specimen plants, and while it is coarser than the Tremula Fern, it is very graceful and is becoming very popular. The leaf is a rich, glossy green, and each leaflet is about the shape and size of a Rose leaf. The fronds are fine for cutting on account of their lasting quality.

Moss Fern — (Selaginella Emiliana.) An upright growing moss with delicate lace-like foliage. Suitable for Fern dishes or for table and house decoration.

Onychium Japonicum—A very beautiful Fern, having long, graceful fronds. The wiry texture of the leaf makes it keep a long time; very useful to cut for vases, etc.

Pteris Cretica Alba Lineata—A very handsome Fern, nicely variegated; grows very rapidly into handsome plants.

Pteris Mayii—A dwarf variegated sort with the ends prettily crested. Fine for Fern dishes.

Pteris Magnifica—Very dwarf. Beautiful crested fronds. Excellent for Fern dishes.

Pteris Sieboldi—This is the most decorative of all the Pteris, a handsomely crested form which is just as useful as a specimen plant as any variety of Nephrolepis, and in a small size a most desirable variety for Fern dishes.

Pteris Wimsetti—Green leaves with the ends very peculiarly twisted. Is one of the best varieties for Fern dishes, being a short, compact grower. Will stand much rough treatment.



Pteris Argyrea, Silver Fern.



Onychium Japonicum.

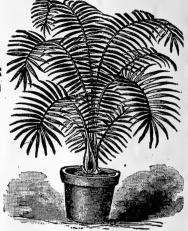


Pteris Tremula.

# **Palms and Other Choice Decorative Plants**

Palms have become an almost indispensable feature in all decorations, whether for apartments, conservatories, or for tropical bedding in summer. The following varieties of Palms are of easy culture in the parlor or conservatory. No home should be without one or more. It might be well to state here that young Palms do not always resemble the illustrations; the characteristic leaves usually appear the second year. We deliver the small plants by mail, postpaid; the large plants must be sent by express.





Kentia Belmoreana.

### **KENTIA BELMOREANA**

The Kentias are among the best of the Palm species for general cultivation. This variety is one of the best in its class—graceful habit, bright green foliage, gracefully disposed; as a decorative plant for the window, dinner table or conservatory it scarcely has an equal. Price, small plants, 25 cents each; medium, 50 cents; larger, by express, eighteen inches high, \$1.00. LATANIA BORBONICA PALM

Leaves large, fan-shaped, of a very cheerful green color; plant of hardy constitution, and adapted to all decorative purposes within or without doors. Appreciated by all the plant-loving community. Price, 25c; large size by express, 4-inch pots, 50c; 5-inch, \$1.00.

### PANDANUS UTILIS (Screw Pine)

For majesty of form and gracefully arranged foliage, this is without a peer. As an ornament for the window, its glossy, dark green, serrated foliage renders it unusually attractive, while as a vase plant or single specimen in greenhouse or conservatory it cannot be surpassed. Price, 35 cents each; large plants, by express, 75 cents each.

#### DRACENA TERMINALIS

Superb species; rich crimson foliage, marked with pink-carmine and creamy-white. Words cannot de-Superb species; rich crimson foliage, marked with pink-carmine and creamy-white. Words cannot describe the exquisite coloring. This is one of the most admired of decorative species, its elegant habit and extremely beautiful, lively coloring giving it marked value. It is a rapid grower, and for room adornment or as a vase plant for out-of-door use it is indispensable. Price, 25 cents each; larger size, 50 cents each.

Phoenix Reclinata. PHOENIX RECLINATA

# A fine decorative Falm; one of the finest vase plants, particularly for outdoor decoration. It is of very robust habit, and is very easily grown. Price for nice, strong, young plants, 50 cents each.

KENTIA FORSTERIANA

This is one of the finest plants imaginable, and the easiest to grow of any of the Palm family. Being almost hardy, it is not injured by slight changes in temperature, and its stiff, glossy leaves enable it to stand the dry, hot air of the living room without injury. The leaves are deep, glossy green, fan-shaped, split deeply into segments. Price, small plants, 25c each; medium, 50c; larger, by express, eighteen inches high, \$1.00.

### FICUS ELASTICA—India Rubber Tree

Very large, smooth, leathery leaves, evergreen foliage. Generally esteemed one of the finest house plants grown, the plant attaining a large size and tree shape. Price, twelve inches high, 35c; eighteen inches high, 50c; two feet high (by express only), \$1.00.

# ARAUCARIA EXCELSA—Norfolk Island Pine

ARAUCARIA EXCELSA—Norfolk Island Pine
As a decorative plant for the house this is one of
the handsomest and most serviceable. It has deep
green, feathery foliage, arranged in whorls, rising one
above the other at regular distances; its symmetry of
form, grace and beauty of foliage are unequaled in the
vegetable kingdom. It is easily grown in the house
and is highly ornamental. Price, nice plants, 12 to 15
inches high, three tiers, 75c each; larger plants, 18 to
20 inches high, four and five tiers, \$1.00 each; extra
large plants, \$1.50. These can be sent only by express.



Pandanus Utille (Screw Pine).



Araucaria Excelsa



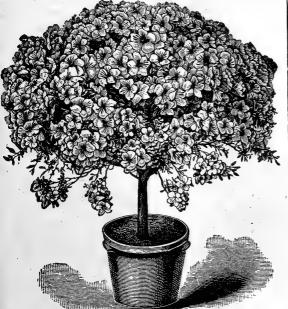
Ficus Elastica.



# THE AMERICAN WONDER LEMON

The Largest Edible Lemon in the World.

Superb fruit has been taken from the tree weighing over three pounds each. In addition to its fruit-bearing qualities it makes a very handsome specimen plant for house culture. The dark green foliage is very large and handsome, and the pure waxy-like flowers with yellow stems are as fragrant as Orange Blossoms, which it greatly resembles. The lemons have very thin rind and are full of rich acid juice. One is equal to eight or ten ordinary lemons. It makes declicious lemonade, and for cultinary purposes has no equal. It is of the very easiest culture, flowering and fruiting in any good ordinary soil. Price for very strong, young plants, 10c each; second size, splendid two-year-old plants, 25c each; extra large plants, 50c.



Azalea Indica-Chinese Azalea.



### OTAHEITE ORANGE

A grand pot plant, and one of great beauty and novelty. It blooms most freely during the winter, though it is likely to bloom at any and all times of the year. The fruit is about one-half the size of ordinary oranges, and very sweet and delicious. Price, 10 cents each; large strong plants, 25 cents each.

### AZALEA INDICA=Chinese Azaleas

No plant has increased in popularity during recent years with such amazing rapidity as the Chinese Azaleas. A few years ago the annual importation of these from Belgium into the United States would hardly exceed twenty-five thousand. Today it reaches five hundred thousand. At Easter they are seen in every church and in the windows of our finest residences. The ease with which they can be grown, their diversity of color and freedom of flowering will always keep them in public favor. The plants we offer are all set with buds, and are beautifully trained specimens, and will flower in the springtime in any ordinary living room. In summer set out of doors in the shade and keep moderately wet. Plants twenty-four inches in circumference, 75 cents each; any three for \$2.00.

Azaleas are too large to be sent by mail; must be sent by express.

Apollo-(Medium.) Crimson-scarlet; best red.

De Schryveriana—Salmon with white, fine habit, very free. Easter.

Madame Van Der Cruyssen—(Late.) Glossy rose, tinted with amaranth. By many thought to be the best of all.

Niobe-Double white, very fine variety. Early.

Sakuntula—(Medium.) A grand variety; very double, of the finest white.

Simon Mardner—Very double rose with large flower; early.

Vervaeneana—(Early.) Clear pink, white margin, very large flower.

### Hardy Azalea, MOLLIS

A beautiful species from Japan, with large flowers of fine shape. The colors run through all the shades of orange, yellow and carmine. Fine, bushy, showy hardy plants, used extensively in parks and public grounds. Price, extra strong, well set with flower buds, by express, only 50 cents each; three for \$1.00.

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# - SWEET SCENTED -JASMINES

The Jasmine is a favorite greenhouse or house plant everywhere North, while in the South it is perfectly hardy. It is the idol of the poets, and one of the sweetest flowers. Among the species are found equally desirable subjects for decorating the greenhouse and the outdoor border, combining in every instance freedom and elegance with the most delicious fragrance. Grandiflorum—Foliage fine. Flowers white, starshaped and fragrant. Blooms from November until May. Easy culture. Price, 10c each; larger size, 25c. Grand Duke of Tuscany—Easily grown, even small plants bearing a profusion of double, creamy-white flowers, having a delicious perfume. A plant of this lovely variety will, when in bloom, seent up a whole yard or house. It is by far the most delicious in bloom and fragrance of all Jasmines, it is sweeter than a Tuberose, and that is saying a good deal for it. Will thrive out of doors and bloom through the season. A magnificent plant, and one of the most valuable and popular pot plants. It can be stored in a dry cellar in winter. It will please you. Try it. Price, fine plants, 15 cents each; large plants, 35 cents each. Extra large bushy plants, eighteen to twenty-four inches high, by express only, 50 cents each.

Poetica—Similar to Jasmine Grand. Flowers smaller, but borne on large spikes. Makes a valuable climbing plant, though if desired can be grown bush form. Price, 10c each; fine bushy plants, 25c each.

Revolutum—A strong climbing plant, with glossy leaves and single, deep yellow, fragrant blossoms. A beautiful plant and easily grown. Almost hardy in this latitude. Price, 10 cents each; larger size, 25c. Sambac—(Arabian Jasmine). Foliage resembles the Grand Duke, while flowers are more like Maid of Orleans but smaller; flowers white, very fragrant; the cents grown bush gromes bloomer of all the Jasmines. Price, 15 cents each; larger size, 25c.



Camellia Japonica.

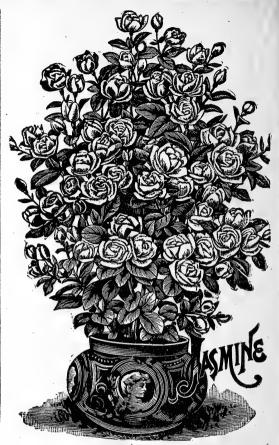
### The Royal Plant, CAMELLIA JAPONICA

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The royal family of greenhouse plants. Leaves glossy-green; flowers of the most exquisite beauty and waxy texture. From pure white to crimson in almost endless variegation. The pure white ones are generally prized above the colored varieties. Their culture is nearly related to that of the Azalea, but their success is more certain. Requires shade and moisture throughout the hot season. Their time of blooming is winter and early spring. Requires a moderate and uniform temperature with as little artificial heat as possible. When set with flower buds great care must be taken in watering—when left too dry the buds are sure to drop. We have a fine assortment. Price, for very large, strong plants, by express, \$1.00 each; three

be taken in watering—when left too dry the buds are sure to drop. We have a fine assortment. Price, for very large, strong plants, by express, \$1.00 each; three for \$2.50.

N. B.—Our Camellias are imported from Holland, and while we exercise great care in sending them true to name, they sometimes become mixed through no fault of ours, and sometimes they will vary a light shade as to color. Consequently under these circumstances we cannot replace them on this account.



Maid of Orleans.

Maid of Orleans—In this beautiful Jasmine there are combined some sterling qualities that place it a peer over existing sorts. Of easy culture, fine grower, good bloomer, elegant fragrance, and double flowers of chaste and waxy-white appearance. If you only have one Jasmine, let it be this one. Price, 15 cents each; larger size, 35 cents.

# RYNCOSPERNUM JASMINODES, or AFRICAN JASMINE

A beautiful greenhouse plant, with glossy evergreen foliage, producing masses of pure white Jasmine-like flowers, of delightful fragrance. Of climbing habit, and presents a beautiful appearance when properly trained. Flowers are desirable for bouquets. Price, 10 cents each; large size, 25 cents each.



Cape Jasmine.

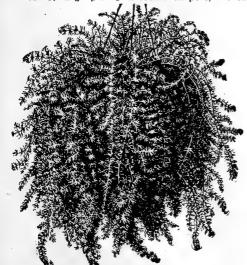
## CAPE JASMINE or GARDENIA FLORIDA

A lovely pot shrub oducing an abun-A lovely pot shrub producing an abundance of large, double white, wax-like blossoms of great beauty and renowned fragrance. Nothing else like it, and for delicate beauty and fragrance it is unrivaled. Price, fine plants from three-inch pots, 25 cents each; large wellbranched plants, 50 cents each. ents each.



# ASPARAGUS PLUMOSUS NANUS

(Lace Fern.) One of the handsomest of our foliage (Lace Fern.) One of the handsomest of our foliage plants. The leaves are a bright green, gracefully arched, and as finely woven as the finest silken mesh. Their lasting quality when cut is remarkable, retaining their freshness for weeks, hence it ranks as the most valuable plant we have for this purpose, surpassing Maiden Hair Fern in grace, fineness of texture and richness of color. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents; large plants in four-inch pots, 25c each.



Asparagus Sprengeri.

### The Charming Decorative Plant, ASPARAGUS SPRENGERI

Not only is it useful for cutting in sprays for fine cut flower work, more particularly in connection with large Roses, etc., but grown in suspended pots it makes one of the prettiest decorative house plants we know of. Used in decorations as, for example, in the decorations of mantels, nothing can equal it. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents; large plants from four-inch pots, 25 cents each.

### **ALTERNANTHERA**

Beautiful dwarf plants of compact habit, growing about six inches high, and admirably adapted for edgings, beds or ribbon lines. Always attractive and highly ornamental.

Aurea Nana—Bright golden-yellow. Price, 6 cents each; 60 cents per dozen.

Parychoides Major—When at its best the color of this variety is a clear darmine, the delicate foliage making a dense but soft cushion. Price, 8c each; four for 25c.



### SWEET ALYSSUM (Double Wnite)

The trusses are enormous, measuring at times one inch in diametcr and five inches The flowers are long. perfectly double and of delightful fragrance. Price, 8 cents each; four for 25 cents.



Golden Bells,

ABUTILON, or FLOWERING MAPLE
The Abutilon or Flowering Maple is a plant of as
easy culture as the Geranium and quite as satisfactory. It is beautiful both in leaf and flower, and is very profuse in bloom. Price, 10c each; three for 25c.

Arthur Belsham-Has a long, pendent flower of clear crimson without markings, flower stems of unusual length and flowers of good shape; a charming

Driven Snow—Very large, wide open, pure white flower; the most effective white variety to date.

Eclipse—Fine for baskets and vases, trailing in habit. Its foliage is very attractive, beautifully marked dark green and yellow. Flowers bright yellow, with erimson threat crimson throat.

Golden Bells—Appropriately named. A well-grown plant of this variety has the appearance of being hung with an abundance of glittering golden bells, making a fine contrast against the bright green leaves. A strong, handsome grower. Flowers bell-shaped, of a strong, handsome grower. Flowers beil-sha rich golden-yellow. It blooms continually

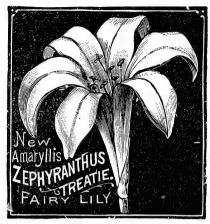
rich golden-yellow. It blooms continually through the entire summer.

Infanta Eulalia—Unlike the ordinary Abutilon of scraggy growth, it is very compact and short jointed, making a very neat pot plant. The flowers are the most beautiful we have seen among Abutilons, being very large, yet short and beautifully cupped, and of the most lovely pale satin-pink color imaginable. It produces its flowers by the score both summer and winter

Rosaeflora—Despite later introductions, the best pink variety we have seen. The clear rose or pink of its flowers is fresh and beautiful; free bloomer.

Souvenir de Bonn—A very distinct and striking new plant, with large, bright green leaves, distinctly edged with a pure white band. The long-stemmed flowers are bright orange, veined with crimson, and stand well out beyond the foliage, producing a very pleasing effect. An excellent plant for large vases and porch boxes. boxes

Splendens-A beautiful deep red variety; dwarf in habit; always in bloom.



Amaryllis Treatie.

### AMARYLLIS TREATIE The Beautiful Fairy Lily

Stems about a foot high, flowers very large, pure white, sweet-scented. Perfectly hardy south of Baltimore; can be left in open ground over winter. In Northern States bulbs should be lifted in October and stored in cellar over winter, like Gladioli, or can be planted in pots. Beautiful plants either for summer or winter. Price, 5 cents each, six for 25 cents.

### MILK AND WINE LILY

(Or Crinum Fimbriatum)

A grand sort, the most beautiful of the Crinums. Its

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ually during the summer.

Stella Gurney—A short, compact grower, well branched and extremely free bloomer. The individual tufts are very large and dense; the coland dense; the col-for is the most in-tense blue, of as an agreeable shade as we have in Ager-atums. Price, 5

**AGERATUMS** 

Very useful for bedding or borders, flowering contin-

during the

Princess Pauline. atums. Price, 5 cents each.

Princess Pauline—A novel variety, dwarf, compact habit. Its peculiarity consists of both blue and white being combined in the same flower, the body of the flower being white, while the stamens, forming an outer ring, are sky-blue, giving the flower a pretty variegated appearance. Price, 5 cents each.

White Cap—Flowers pure white. Strong, compact grower. Price, 5 cents each.

### **ACALYPHAS**

The most important feature is its wonderful qualification for bedding, as it will stand bedding out like a Coleus; in fact, in the sunniest places it produces the highest coloring. The leaves are large, oval shaped, varying in size, the larger leaves measuring four and one-half inches wide and eight inches long. Habit of growth is compact, with free branching habit, rarely attaining a height of over twelve or eighteen inches inches

inches.

Acalypha Triumphans—Very bright, ovate, pointed leaves, light red, shaded and marbled darker. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.

Acalypha Marginata—Fine large foliage, dark olive margined rose. A very desirable variety, standing upright in hot and dry weather. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.

Acalypha Miltoniana—Gracefully drooping, irregular leaves long and slender; deep groep with greenwy white

leaves, long and slender; deep green with creamy-white margin. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.

### ALOYSIA CITRIODORA

(Lemon Verbena.) This plant has the most fragrant foliage of any plant grown. The fragrance is that of the Lemon. One plant will scent up a whole yard. Grows rapidly; exquisite. Price, 10 cents each.

# Amaryllis Johnsonii

These are bulbs that flower during the winter and spring Keep dry during months. months. Keep dry during summer, and start them into growth in the fall by watering. The flowers are produced four to ten on long stalks, two feet high, and resemble a Lily in shape. The color is bright red. They are very showy. Strong bulbs, to bloom at once, 35 cents each, two for 60 cents.

### Amaryllis Belladonna

(Belladonna Lily)

Beautiful silvery-white, turning to soft rose as the flower ages. A lovely Lily. Extra large bulbs, to bloom at once, 35 and 50 cents each.



Amaryllis Formosissima.

bulbs grow large, and its strong-growing foliage is erect and sword-shaped. Flowers in umbels very large and showy, three to four inches in diameter, striped with white, carmine and very fragrant. Hardy in the South. Extra fine blooming bulbs, 35 cents each.

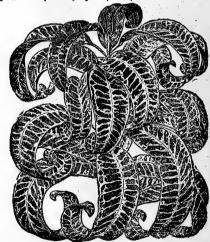
### **FORMOSISSIMA**

(Jacobaean Lily.)

A quaintly shaped, beautiful flower of grand dark scarlet, free blooming, forces well, and can be grown in water like Hyacinths. If the bulbs are kept dry during winter they can be planted in the open ground in the spring, and will flower during the summer. Price, 15 cets each, two for 25 cents.

### **BOUGAINVILLEA SANDERIANA**

Flowers soft rosy-crimson, borne very evenly all over the plant. Blooms when quite small, and may be trained in almost any shape. On account of the lasting qualities of its flowers, it is frequently called "Chinese Paper Plant." Price, 10 cents each; strong two-year-old plants, by express, 35 cents each.



### Croton.

### **CROTONS**

The Crotons are among the finest decorative foliage The Crotons are among the mest decorative foliage plants known. Leaves are more or less veined and margined, sometimes entirely variegated with shades of yellow, orange and crimson. Crotons love heat, sunshine and moisture. We will send you the following choice kinds at 10 cents each; three for 25 cents. Aurea Maculatus—Small leaves, neat habit, deep, bright green, profusely spotted with bright yellow. Interruptum—Very long and wavy foliage, red midribs.

Splendens-Mottled and margined with crimson and yellow

Volutum—Deep green, golden bar through center in form of ram's horn.



Clerodendron Balfouri.





Cyperus Alternifolius.



Cyclamen, or Persian Violet.



Eucharis Amazonica.



Crape Myrtle.

### CYCLAMEN

Cyclamen Giganteum Album—Pure white.
Cyclamen Giganteum Roseum Superbum—Pink, with

Cyclamen Giganteum Sanguinea—Dark red.
Price, nice young plants, 15c each; three for 40c.

# CESTRUM (or Night=Blooming Jasmines)

These beautiful shrubs are cultivated for the delicate fragrance of their elegant flowers, which are borne in clusters; of easy cultivation.

Laurifolium—A handsome plant, with large, glossy foliage and pure white flowers. Price, 8 cents each. Aurianticum—A winter-flowering variety of night-blooming Jasmine, with pure orange-colored flowers. Price, 10 cents each.

Paguii—An excellent garden plant growing reciding the property of the property

Parqui—An excellent garden plant, growing rapidly. Foliage long and of a deep green color. Produces its richly fragrant flowers at every joint. Sweet only at night. It is also well adapted to house and window culture. Price, 10 cents each.

### UMBRELLA PLANT

(Cyperus Alternifolius.)

An ornamental grass throwing up stems about two feet high, surmounted at the top with a whorl of leaves, diverging horizontally, giving it a very curious appearance. It is splendid for the center of vases or as a water plant. Price, 10c each; three for 25c.

### LERODENDRON BALFOURI

We can safely recommend this great Clerodendron as one of the most satisfactory plants for window culture now known. It is a vigorous, rapid, healthy grower, and produces an abundance of blooms which are bright crimson surrounded by pearly-white petals, producing a striking contrast against the dark green foliage. It can be used for a fine specimen pot plant, and can be grown to fine form by cutting off the ends of the growing shoots. A partially shaded position is conducive to rapid growth. Price, 10 cents each.

CALCEOLARIA (Creole Queen)

Produces in the spring a mass of beautiful, pocket-like, crimson flowers. Price, 8 cents each.

## CRAPE MYRTLE

Lagerstroemia Indica—A favorite tub-plant in this latitude, where it is not hardy enough to preserve its old wood during the winter, as in the South, where it is perfectly hardy. Here it dies down to the root, but comes up again in the spring. The best way, therefore, is to keep the plants in the cellar over winter and transplant in rich soil early in the spring, watering freely during the summer, and no flower will produce better effect. Price, 15c each: two for 25c, Crape Myrtle, Crimson—The old crimson variety. Crape Myrtle, Pink—Colored, a fine shade of pink.

### **CUPHEA** PLATYCENTRA

(Cigar Plant.)

This is a well-known everblooming plant of neat habit, growing twelve inches in height. growing twelve inches in height. The tube of the flower is scarlet, with the end partly white and crimson. These plants thrive beautifully in hanging baskets. vases, etc. They are also valuable as pot plants in the window. Price, 8 cents each; four for 25 cents. each; four for 25 cents.



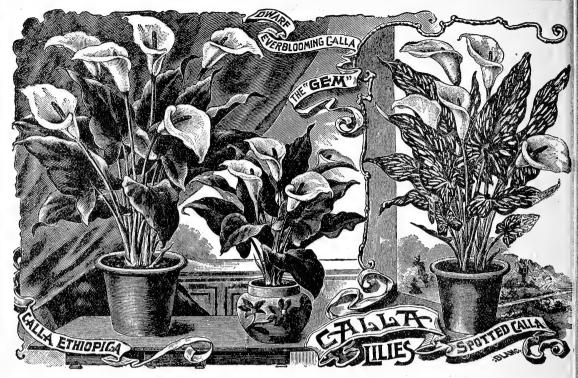
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### LOBSTER CACTUS

Epiphyllium Truncatum—A beautiful variety of the Crab or Lobster Claw Cactus, with bright scarlet flowers of large size and unusually bright and showy. The plants we offer are strong, grafted plants with straight twelve to fifteen inches high, making fine g specimens. Plants on own roots, 15c each. drooping specimens.

### **EUCHARIS**

Amazonica — A splendid hothouse plant, blooming at various seasons. It sends up stalks bearing several pure white, star-shaped flowers, four inches across; delightfully fragrant, and is highly prized as a cut flower. Price, 20 cents each; three for 50 cents.



WHITE CALLA

Ethiopica-This is the well-known Egyptian Lily, or Lily of the Nile, with large white flowers, broad foliage, and it will prosper under very adverse circumstances. If you want large Callas send to us, as we are headquarters for them. We have two sizes. Bulbs to bloom next winter, 10 cents each; strong blooming bulbs, 25 cents each.

"THE GEM "The Gem" is of strong dwarf habit. The foliage is "The Gem" is of strong dwarf habit. The foliage is of a lustrous dark green and is produced in great abundance. Its flowers are produced in the greatest profusion, being literally an ever-bloomer; it will bloom freely all summer out in the open ground; in September it can be lifted and potted, and will continue blooming all winter. Price, 10 cents each.

#### CALLA RICHARDIA

Spotted Calla-The Richardia Alba, or Spotted Calla, is a plant of magnificent appearance. The leaves are of the richest green, spotted with pure white; the flowers are white, with a rich chocolate throat. It can either be grown in a pot, planted in a border, or in a vase or rustic stand, the latter being a very effective way of showing its beauty. Price, 15 cents each; extra large bulbs, 25 cents.

### CALLA HASTATA

This is the yellow Calla. It is just like the others, only the flower is a lemon-yellow. It is very distinct and will enrich anyone's collection. It is very distinct n. Price, 15 cents and will enrich anyone's collection. each; four for 50 cents.

### Y=LEA ED

Certainly the most popular colored foliage plants. Whether grown in single specimens or in masses of ribbon lines, they are equally attractive. Plants should be set about a foot apart, so that when the size of the bed is ascertained it is easy to figure how many plants of each kind are needed in a row. We do not advise the ordering of Coleus until after the fifteenth of March as they are easily chilled. For massing in solid colors we suggest either red, green or yellow.

Price, 5c each; any twelve for 50c; by express, twenty-five for \$1.00. Price of Coleus by the hundred when sent by express, \$3.00 net.

Beckwith's Gem-Beautiful fancy variety with large leaves of heavy tex- well ture and finely scalloped edges. Center crinkled; center rib of lighter yellow. of leaf dark velvety-maroon, bordered with fiery-red; edge is green, changing to creamy-yellow at the point of leaf, edge, tinted delicately with bright red.

Butterfly --- A crimson-bronze, gold and green.

Count Cuvier-Center flery-red, sur-

Count Cuvier—Center nery-red, sur-rounded with deep maroon, edged olive-green, serrated edge.

Duneria — The grandest Coleus of recent years; has a deep velvety tex-ture. Color, crimson-maroon center; Quee beautifully scalloped edge of light red; a fine, showy bedder. A magnificent variety that will sell on sight.

Empress of India-Crimson, with golden edge.

Fire Crest-The major portion of the foliage is a bright carmine-crimson shade, edge is slightly marked golden-yellow, which heightens the coloring; yellow, which heightens the coloring; Setting Succenter of leaves blotched deep bronze. golden edge.

Golden Bedder-Clear yellow when developed, edg'e somewhat

James Barnshaw-Yellow and crim-

son, striped. Miss Retta Kirkpatrick—Large white center, shaded with yellow, broad green-lobed margin; large foliage, Progress—A beautiful mottled red,

green and bronze. Queen of the West-Large leaf, and slightly serrated; outer band of bright.

oxide-green with margin of bright yellow, and center wedge of creamy-white; the whole covered with blotches and spots of bright carmine and deep maroon. Verschaffeltii-A rich velvety-crim-

son; best bedder. Setting Sun-Crimson, with brightest



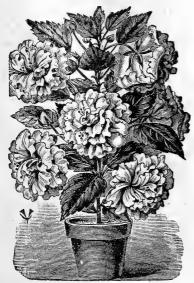
Beckwith's Gem.

### FEVERFEW-Little Gem

This sort is valued very highly, surpassing the old sort in every way. It is very dwarf, attaining a height of twelve inches. Flowers large, perfect form, purest white. Splendid for cutting. Price, 8 cents each; three for 20 cents.



Giant Flowered Heliotrope.



Peachblow Hibiscus,

Peachblow-An improvement over other Hibiscus in size of flower, freedom of bloom and strong growing qualities. Flowers double; of a rich shade of clear pink, with small, deep crimson center; an entirely new and most beautiful shading; four to five inches in diameter. Blooms freely even on small plants. Good as house plant or planted out in garden.

### GENISTA CANARIENSIS—Fountain of Gold

This beautiful plant well deserves the great popularity it has gained in the past two years. The drooping branches are covered with delicate sage-green foliage, and every twig tipped with a long raceme of exquisite pea shaped blostoms of pure canary color, almost hiding the foliage, and suggesting the name, "Fountain of Gold." Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.

# **HELIOTROPES**

These are universal favorites on account of their delightful fragrance. Flower equally well as bedding plants in summer, or as pot plants in the house during the winter.

Price, 8 cents each; three for 20 cents.

Albert Delaux—Foliage is a bright golden-yellow, marked slightly with a delicate green.

Buisson Fleuri—Plant semi-dwarf; extremely beautiful in growth, free grower, easily propagated; the plant is covered with bloom, trusses extremely large; florets large and flat-faced; color, rosy-violet with star-shaped eye.

Florence Nightingale-Bright lavender, still one of the best and most popular.

Le Poitevine-Mauve, violet and blue. Beautiful variety.

Madame De Blonay—Fine, large, strong foliage, producing very large trusses of pure white flowers.

Mirielle—Floret very large, of pearl-white shade deepening to heliotrope; an improved and darker White Lady.

Giant Flowered Heliotrope, Prince Charmant—A variety with handsome foliage; extremely free in bloom; color a lovely tint of bluish-mauve. Like all of the Bruant type, this variety has panicles of bloom of enormous size; is dwarf and compact in growth, and a great advance on older sorts.

# HIBISCUS

Large growing tropical shrubs with very glossy fo-liage. The plants, under the hottest sun, produce enormous flowers in great numbers and make noble specimens. They can be gown in tubs and kept for years. The blooms average five or siy inches in di-ameter, and are gorgeout. Olored. The plants can be wintered over in a warm, dry cellar.

### DOUBLE FLOWERING VARIETIES

Price, 10 cents each, any three for 25 cents. We can furnish Peachblow Hibiscus in extra large size at 25 cents each.

Auriantica-Large, double orange-colored flowers. Very novel and attractive.

Miniatus Semi-Plenus—Semi-double flowers of a light vermilion-scarlet; petals waved and recurved; the flowers noticeable for the absence of formality, but are very handsome.

Rubra—A very pretty double red Hibiscus. Flower deep cherry-red, very large and double.

### SINGLE FLOWERING VARIETIES

Price, 10 cents each, any three for 25 cents.

Coperii Tri-Color—Foliage beautifully variegated with dark green, pink and white, flowers crimson. This beautiful tri-color plant is one of rare magnificence, and is unequaled by any other plant in brilliancy of foliage. Strong plants, 10 cents each.

Decorous-Foliage very large and lobed; flowers enormous, on long stems, of a beautiful rosy-carmine col-or; the stamens and pistils are very showy; the stigma is large, circular and golden-yellow.

Gen. De Courtiggis—A very grand, large-sized flower; single light scarlet; very showy.

Grandiflorus—Rich, glossy foliage; blooming profusely through the summer, literally covering the plants with scarlet-crimson single flowers.

Rosa Sinensis—Flowers red and very large, averaging nearly five inches in diameter.

Versicolor—A variety combining in its flowers all colors of the whole family, being handsomely striped crimson, buff, rose and white.



# THE CHARMING EVER-BLOOMING — IMPATIENS —

Sultani—This is the most distinct and beautiful, either as a winter-blooming pot plant or for the border in the summer. It is of neat, compact habit of growth, with good constitution and a perpetual bloomer. The flowers are of a brilliant, rosy-scarlet color, of a peculiarly distinct, but most effective hue, and are produced singly or in twos and three from the axils of the leaves, especially toward the summit of the stems, but so freely that a well-grown specimen appears to be quite a ball of fire. Price, 8 cents each; four for 25 cents.

New Impatiens Holsti—One of the finest Impatiens in cultivation; has no equal in its color. The individual flowers are of immense size and most perfect circular form; beautiful rich orange shade of the most brilliant hue. Price, 10c each; three for 25c.

Impatiens, The Queen—We are among the first to offer this beautiful and rare novelty in Impatiens, which is given to the public this year for the first time. In form and foliage it is like Sultani, but color of flower is a handsome shade of salmon, tinged with pink. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.

Impatiens, Fairy Queen — Rich vermilion-scarlet, with orange shadings. An attractive variety, carrying immense spherical trusses of flowers. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.

Atroviolacea—Deep purplish-violet, very pretty. Price, 8 cents each; four for 25 cents.

### IVY CANARIENSIS, English Ivy

An excellent variety for cultivation in the house, being a free grower, and very beautiful, broad, glossy-green leaves. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.



A rapid-growing and succulent plant, well adapted for covering trellis work quickly or training in the parlor. Leaves glossy green and flowers yellow, in clusters. Price, English Ivy.

A rapid-growing and succulent plant, well adapted for covering trellis work quickly or training in the parlor. Leaves glossy green and flowers yellow, in clusters. Price, for 25 cents.

### PARROT'S FEATHER

A novel aquatic hanging plant. Its long trailing stems are clothed with whorls of the most exquisite foliage, as finely cut as the leaves of the Cypress Vine, and much more delicate. Plant in a water-tight basket, so water can be kept standing on the surface. Used by many people for decorating interior of gold fish aquariums, also for edge of ponds. Price, 10 cents each.



Justicia Carnea.

### JUSTICIA, or BRAZILIAN PLUME

Is a strong, rapid grower, and throws up long stems on which are produced fine, plume-like flowers, the ends of each petal drooping in a most charming manner. Either for house or outdoor culture. Price, 10 cents each; the set of three for 25 cents.

Justicia Carnea-Large pink flowers.

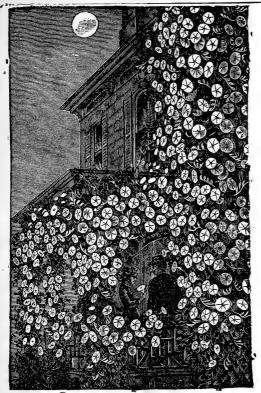
Justicia Hydrangoides — Large flowers, lilac and white.

Justicia Sanguinea-Light red flowers.



# LINUM TRIGYNUM

A winter-blooming plant of great beauty, producing in the greatest profusion very large and very showy blooms of a bright yellow color. The plant is a complete mass of bloom for a long time during winter, and is one of the most beautiful winter-bloomers it is possible to have. The flowers are about the size of a Morning Glory, and no matter how small the plant is it will bloom profusely and each year as it grows into size it becomes more beautiful. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.



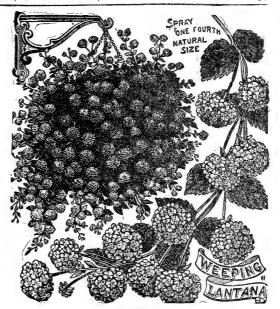
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Ipomea Grandiflora—(The True Moonflower.) This plant has become, very popular and is certainly a wonderful annual climber. It grows rapidly and blooms profusely. A very rapid summer climber, blooming the first season. No insects attack the leaf. The flowers are immense, pure white, sweet-scented, five inches in diameter, borne very profusely, and, as they open at night, are very striking. Being a free bloomer, the effect on a moonlight night is very charming. Try it. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cets.

The Blue Moonflower, Ipomea Learii—From Ceylon. Handsome, quick-growing perennial climber. Often flowers in bunches of a half dozen; the individual flowers are trumpet-shaped, about four inches across, of a rich violet-blue, with five purple rays. Grows about twenty-five feet in one season, and is a most attractive climber. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.

Ipomea Maxima—A vastly improved I. Grandiflora, of rarest beauty and startling proportions. Its pure white, abundant blooms average six to eight inches across, and often surpass that magnitude. No new flowering plant in years has introduced such a noble display, combined with such chaste refinement of beauty. Price, 15 cents; two for 25 cents.



### LANTANAS

Or Shrubby Verbenas, the Finest Plants That Grow Or Shrubby Verbenas, the Finest Plants Inda Grow
The brilliant colors, robust growth and profuse
bloooming habit of the Lantana, render it one of the
finest bedding plants that grow. The varieties here
described give a wide range of color, and include the
most distinct and profuse blooming varieties.

Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.
For bedding, twenty of our selection for \$1.00.
Amiel—About one foot high; approaches the trailing variety in habit; as the first growth droop toward the ground, successive growths rise above these

ward the ground, successive growths rise above these until it forms a dome-shaped plant covered solid with bloom of the brightest shade of orange-red with golden

centers; a leader among bedding plants.

Aurora—Large-flowered, dark and light shades of pink, with yellow center.

Alba Perfecta—Pure white; very fine.

Harkett's Perfection—A new variety with beautiful, fresh and valley flowers and golden variety of foliage. fresh and yellow flowers and golden variegated foliage.

La Pleur d'Or — Small, pure yellow flowers, very dwarf and bushy; very abundant bloomer. This will This will

Michael Schmidt-Flowers fresh and sparkling, of a

brilliant yellow, passing into purple-vermilion.

New Weeping Lantana—Fine for baskets, vases, pots or window boxes. Produces a great abundance of deli-

or window boxes. Produces a great abundance of delicate, drooping, leafy vines, covered nearly all the time with clusters of lovely lilac flowers with white eyes. Reve Poitevine—A superb new variety with rose-colored flowers. Semi-dwarf; both umbel and floret are of the very largest size; the flowers are lightly shaded with silvery-white, and the center of white. Seraphine—Rose, with yellow center.

Tethys—Lovely cream color, shading to canary-yellow

low.



# PASSIFLORA-Passion Flower

Climbing Plants for Greenhouses and Windows.

Pfordi - A beautiful sort: blue flowers. Price, 10 cents

Constance Elliott. New Hardy Passion Flower-This beautiful variety has flowers very large and pure ivorywhite. Excellent for cemetery purposes. Price, strong plants, 10 cents each.

### MANETTIA BICOLOR

### The Beautiful Climbing Plant.

This is the most beautiful and desirable of all vines, as it can be grown either in the house or garden equally as well. In the house it can be trained about a window, forming a wreath of the most brilliant bloom both summer and winter. The flowers are from an inch to an inch and a half in length, of a most intense scarlet, shading into flame, tipped with bright golden-yellow, and are covered with a thick scarlet moss. Price, 10 cents each.

### MADERIA VINE

The most liked of all climbers. The leaves are light green above and rosy-chocolate underneath, flowers white and deliciously fragrant. Grows well in garden or pot, hanging baskets or vases. Makes fine shade for verandas. Give tubers same care as Dahlias. Price, 5 cents each; six for 25 cents.

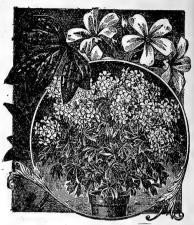


OXALIS ORTGIESI

It grows twelve to eighteen inches in height, branching freely and loaded at all times with clusters of bright golden, star-shaped flowers, which do not close at night, like other Oxalis. Beautiful as the flowers are, it is still a splendid plant without them, on account of its highly ornamental foliage. Price, 15 cents each.

### SILVER=STRIPED PEPEROMIA

So thick and waxy-like are the leaves of this parlor gem that nearly every one takes it to be an artificial plant. The leaves are distinctly variegated white and green, and have the appearance of being powdered with frosted silver. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.



Oxalis Ortgiesi.

### PRIMULA OBCONICA

A lovely perpetual-blooming Primrose and admirably adapted to growing in a cool climate. The flowers are profusely borne in large trusses, and are of a delicate rosy-lilac, shading to white. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.

# PETUNIAS

The Double Petunia is one of the finest bedding plants for massing, mixed borders, or for vases. The brilliancy and variety of its colors, combined with the duration of its blooming period, render it invaluable for garden decoration. Our collection is unsurpassed for brilliancy of color and size of bloom. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.

Aristides — Rosy-purple, beautifully frilled; edges white,

Gem — Beautifully variegated, carmine-rose and white.

Majestic-Rich deep purple, shaded crimson.

Pink Beauty-A very handsome shade of pink.

Striking-Rich purple, mottled and edged white.

Sea Foam—The finest Petunia grown; color a seafoam white; flower of the largest size and beautifully frilled.

### **OLEANDERS**

These old-fashioned shrubs are becoming immensely popular again. No plant makes more handsome specimens in tubs for the veranda or yard. Can be wintered in the cellar.

Oleander Rosea—Has double pink flowers. The old favorite. Very sweet. Price, 15 cents each.

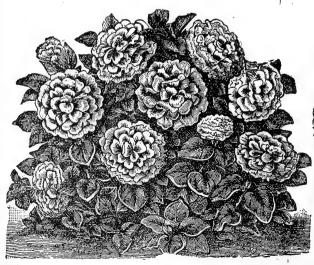
Lillian Henderson—Has double white flowers of the largest size. Fragrant like the old double pink. Price, 15 cents each.

Yellow Oleander (Lutea)—A new and scarce variety, with light yellow-colored blossoms. A decided novelty. Price, nice plants, 15 cents each.

We will send the three varieties of Oleanders, very fine plants, for 40 cents.

### CHINESE PRIMROSE

Few house plants afford better satisfaction than this. It requires to be kept cool, a north window suiting it best. Care should be taken in watering it that no water gets on the buds, as it causes them to decay. In the summer they can be turned out into a shady border. The plants we offer are fine, and the colors will please. White, pink and red. Price, 10 cents each; three distinct sorts for 25 cents.

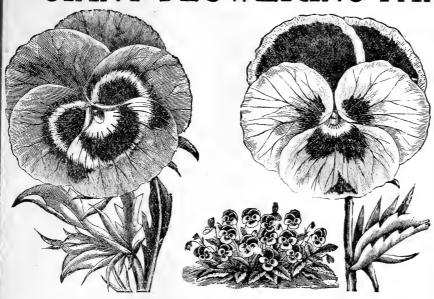






Chinese Primrose.

# GIANT FLOWERING PANSIES



It is impossible to do justice to these lovely flowers in a printed description. Cold type scription. Cold type cannot convey an idea of the indescribable richness, the varied and exquisite coloring, the large size, perfect form and great substance of the blossoms. Plants are compact and bushy. and produce great quantities of flowers borne well above the foliage on strong stems.
Owing to their vigor,
this strain withstands
the hot and dry weather better than any other variety, and produces its great, beautiful blos-soms in profusion all summer. The plants soms in profusion all summer. The plants we offer are from seed of selected flowers of the Giant Trimardeau, Bugnot and Cassier strains in the following named colors: Brilliant fine red, margined, stripes, golden, purple, black, white, violet and gold. Price, 5 cents each; 35 cents per dozen; forty for \$1.00. eacn; 35 cents per dozen; forty for \$1.00.

RUSSELIA MULTIFLORA

This is a grand new plant. The primary stems are strong and grassy. The flower panicles are extremely long and are covered with tassels of flowers one over the other. Color a grand coral-red. The flowers are tubular, and about one inch in length, and are produced so very freely as to cover the entire plant. It is well named many flowered. Always in bloom. No better plant is grown for baskets, vases ard window boxes. Price, 10 cents each.



Forget-Me-Not Flowering Primrose Forbesi.

### TWO BEAUTIFUL PLUMBAGOS

Light Blue and Cream-White.
The Plumbagos are always satisfactory plants, either for pot culture or for the garden. They are constant

for pot culture or for the garden. They are constant bloomers and their delicate and graceful flowers are very useful for cutting.

Capensis—A well-known favorite, and always valable because it produces large trusses of beautiful light blue flowers. Price, 10 cents each.

Capensis Alba—The counterpart of Plumbago Capensis, excepting in color, which is creamy-white. A constant bloomer; a splendid new sort. Price, 10 cents

PARIS DAISIES, or Marguerites

Queen Alexandra—The flowers are pure white, the greater percentage coming full double, but even the semidouble and single flowers, which appear on the same plant, are very handsome. This is a great improvement on the single "Paris Daisy," and should be in every collection. Price, 15c each; four for 50c. Etoile d'Or—(Marguerite.) The yellow Paris Daisy similar to the Mme. Gailbert, but a rich golden color. The two varieties go handsomely together. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.

### SWANSONIA GALEGIFOLIA ALBA

We bring prominently before flower planters this very distinct climbing plant for house culture and protected spots in the garden. The habit of growth is extremely graceful, and the vines trained up at the side of a window or on a trellis, present a lovely sight of light green feathery foliage and a splendid profusion of pure white sprays of fairy-winged flowers somewhat resembling Sweet Peas in form. Easily grown, and under favorable conditions it is almost a perpetual bloomer. There is certainly no climbing vine for house or conservatory culture today that is more desirable than this fine new plant. Fine plants, 10 cents each.

### **NEW SWAINSONIA SPLENDENS**

Same as the above, with bright scarlet flowers. This is the only true scarlet variety. Price, 10 cents each.

### The Baby Primrose, PRIMULA FORBESI

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It is a wonderfully free-blooming plant, commencing to flower as soon as borne. It is raised from divisions; also from the seed, though the latter method is unadvisable owing to the uncertain and variable character of the seedlings. It forms a dense rosette of somewhat fleshy leaves, from which spring the flowering stems, twelve, fifteen and even twenty inches tall, supporting three tiers or whorls of dainty flowers of a delicate rosy-lilac, with eye of pale gold. The flowers are not more than half an inch in diameter, but they are produced in such great abundance that a few plants present a dense mass of bloom, which continues without interruption and with increasing vigor from September until June. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.



Strobilanthes Dyerianus

### STROBILANTHES DYERIANUS

Royal Purple.

This plant will undoubtedly become universally pop-This plant will undoubtedly become universally popular on account of its brilliant and exquisite coloring, its extraordinary easy growth and usefulness as a decorative plant. It surpasses the finest Coleus, Begonias or Bertolonias in the exquisite coloring of the leaves, besides which the long racemes of lovely violet blossoms, with which the plant is covered in midwinter, greatly enhance its value, beauty and usefulness. The undulation on the surface of the foliage is furnished with a bluish metallic hue, shading into light rose with a light green margin. (See illustration.) Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.



Sanseviera Zeylanica.

# SANSEVIERA ZEYLANICA

This beautiful house plant is well adapted for decoration of sitting room, halls, etc., as it stands dust and neglect of watering with impunity. Leaves grow to a length of from three to four feet, beautifully striped crosswise with broad white variegation on a dark green ground. A rare and beautiful plant, and should be abundantly grown for positions out of sunlight, where other plants do not thrive. Price, small plants, 10 cents each; large, handsome plants, 25 cents each.

### **SMILAX**

This very fine climber is a great addition to our basket plants, possessing the rare qualities of delicate and tolerably dense foliage and vining habit, admirably adapting it to clinging or drooping, as may be required. For using for a green with cut flowers it has no equal, its hard texture enabling it to keep for several days without wilting after being cut. It is also fine as a parlor or window plant. Price, 8 cents each; four for 25 cents.



Salvia-Mrs. Page.

SALVIA—Flowering Sage

The Salvia is of easy culture, attaining a height of two to three feet. The flowers are very attractive, are fine for bedding, the scarlet variety especially.

Price, 6 cents each; 60 cents per dozen; twenty-five for \$1.00.

A Splendid New Dwarf Salvia, Mrs. Page — The grandest addition to our list of bedding plants. It forms a compact bush, completely covered with rich scarlet flowers. As a border or vase plant it will be indispensable. indispensable.

Salvia Spiendens—The standard sort for bedding; flower spikes of the most brilliant scarlet.

Alba—A white variety of Spiendens, identical in every respect except in color, which is pure white.



Saxifraga Sarmentosa.

# SAXIFRAGA SARMENTOSA,

Or Beefsteak Plant.

A handsome plant of low habit. Leaves nearly round, and striped freely with silvery bands. Blooms white, of great beauty, and borne in spikes nearly twelve inches high. Adapted for hanging baskets, vases, etc. This is also known as Strawberry Geranium. Price, 8 cents each.

### JASMINOIDES GRANDIFLORA

A beautiful plant of climbing habit, attaining a height of three to five feet, but can be grown in bush form. Its flowers are star-shaped and borne in clusters, large, pure white, with a violet tinge on back of petals and on the buds. In pots it is a continuous bloomer both summer and winter. Price, 8 cents each.



Mammoth Verbena.

### **TECOMA**

(Tecoma Jasminoides.) In style of growth this somewhat resembles some of the Jasminiums, though belonging to an entirely different family. Its flowers are tubular shaped, white, with a beautiful pink throat. It is naturally a climber, but can be grown in bush form by keeping it well cut back. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

### VINCA VARIEGATA

A beautiful variegated trailing plant, admirably adapted for hanging baskets and vases. The leaves are a glossy green, broadly margined a creamy-white; flowers blue. Price, small plants, suitable for hanging baskets, 5 cents each; 12 for 50 cents; larger plants, 15 cents each; extra large, for vases, 25 cents each;

### VINCA HARRISONI

A variety of strong growth, margin of leaves rich dark green, with the central portion light green, furnishing an abundance of star-shaped, light blue flowers. Price, small plants, suitable for hanging baskets, 5 cents each; twelve for 50 cents; larger plants, 15 cents each; extra large, for vases, 25 cents each.

### MAMMOTH VERBENA

The Verbena is one of the prettiest and most popular of all flowering plants suitable for forming beds on the lawn. Commences to flower and spread from the first day plants are set until late in autumn, every day becoming better and more handsome. Colors range through all the different shades of scarlet, purple, blue, white, etc. Price, 6 cents each; 60 cents per dozen; twenty-five for \$1.00.

Swanley White.

# VIOLETS

Of all the delightful perfumes that of the Sweet Violets is the most delicate and pleasing. If grown in the house for winter flowers, they should be kept at a low temperature, as they will not bloom freely where it is too warm. If left in the open ground during winter, protect with a covering of leaves.

Price, 10c each; any three for 25c.

Hardy English—Grand for garden planting. Perfectly hardy, good sized deep purple, double flowers. Should be planted in every flower garden.

Princess of Wales — Broad Pansy-like flowers of a beautiful violet-purple shade, with lighter center. A vigorous growing plant with clean, healthy foliage and stiff long stems. One of the most beautiful and free flowering Violets.

Swanley White—A sport of the popular and well-known Violet Marie Louise, the same freedom of flowering and the individual flower equally as large and of the purest white.



Marie Louise.

Marie Louise—Bold, fine flowers, very fragrant and very prolific. The color is of a dark blue, flowers double. This is the favorite double blue Violet that you see in the florists' windows. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.



Princess of Wales.

# SUMMER FLOWERING BULBS



Gladiolus, or Sword Lily.

## CULTURAL DIRECTIONS FOR GLADIOLI

Soil—Plant in full exposure to the sun, in any well-enriched garden soil, avoiding contact with manure, which should never be fresh; in fact, it is better to thoroughly manure the soil in the fall and respade in the spring. When soil is stiff clay, fill the drill with sandy loam; water when necessary during the early stages of growth and again when buds show color. Here in Ohio we plant from the middle of April, to the middle of May, and with all sections and sizes bloom is continuous from the end of July until frost.

# COLLECTION OF TWELVE NAMED GLADIOLI

Price, 6 cents each; the set of twelve for 65 cents, postpaid.

Here are ten sorts, tested and tried, giving a wide range of color and markings, which we will send for 65 cents, postpaid. They will surely give satisfaction.

Augusta — Lovely pure white with blue anthers. Strong, spike often having two or three branches.

Brenchleyensis - Vermilion-scarlet; but much planted on account of brilliant color.

Canary Bird—A lemon-yellow of good size and substance; one of the few satisfactory yellows.

Ceres-Pure white, streaked and spotted lilac.

Isaac Buchanan-Fine yellow; one of the best. Jessie-Fine velvety-red; long spikes of flowers.

Mme. Monneret—Delicate rose, with white stripe in center of each petal; carmine blotch on salmon ground.

Marie Lemoine-Long spikes of well-expanded flowers, upper division of a pale creamy color, flushed sal-mon-lilac, the lower divisions spotted purplish-violet, bordered deep yellow. Hardy.

May—Makes a large spike of well-expanded flowers, much like that famous old variety Eugene Scribe. White edge of petals delicately touched with pink, the two lower petals penciled with a peculiar light brown.

Mrs. Francis King—A new variety that is praised by all who have seen it. The flowers are large, in good sized spikes, with fine strong stems for cutting. Color a pleasing shade of light scarlet.

Mrs. Beecher—Beautiful deep rosy-crimson. Large, well opened flower, with white throat, freely marked. Octoroon-A very distinct and beautiful salmon-pink.

# Three Extra Fine New and Rare Gladiolus

Price, 10c each; the three varieties for 25c.

America—Conceded to be one of the finest varieties for cutting or bedding ever sent out; color a beautiful soft flesh-pink; orchid-like in its coloring and texture; growth and habit perfect.

Cardinal—The most brilliant cardinal-scarlet yet introduced. Flowers large in fine pulkes; your view and

troduced. Flowers large, in fine spikes; very rich and

showy White Lady—The most beautiful and purest of all white Gladioli. We have a fine stock of extra strong bulbs.

### GLADIOLI UNDER COLOR

Pink—This class comprises a wide range of color, from bright orange and very deep rose through various shades of pink to light rosy-blush; large, well formed devices. formed flowers.

Shades of Red Mixed—This mixture embraces various shades of red; makes a very bright effect in bed-

White and Light—Containing the very lightest color in Gladioli, some of them very nearly pure white. Yellow—Various shades of yellow and golden; among most beautiful of all Gladioli.

Variegated-Most brilliant color and marking; very

handsome and striking.

Price, 4c each; 40c per dozen; \$3.50 per hundred.

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Our "Superb" Mixture of Select Gladioli

Includes all colors found in Gladioli. recommend a free and liberal planting. They are so good and so cheap that we know the bulbs will give a magnificent return, while the spikes of bloom are always in demand as cut flowers. Price, 3 cents each; twelve for 30 cents; \$2.00 per hundred.

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Dwarf Tuberose.

### DWARF EXCELSIOR PEARL TUBEROSE

A splendid variety, the finest ever intro-duced; greatly superior to the common Pearl; grows about eighteen inches high, blooms very early, matures perfectly; flowers pure white, large size, very double and intensely sweet. Large, well-ripened bulbs, the finest ever grown, all sure to bloom. Price, 5 cents each; three for 10 cents; twelve for 30 cents.

### POMPON or BOUQUET DAHLIAS

Flowers small, of the most perfect shape; very useful for cut flowers.

Catherine—Purest yellow, large for its class.

Little Beatrice—Pale pink, with fine purple veins on underside of semi-quilled petals.

Little Prince—Deep crimson, tipped white.

Snowclad—Rather large, flattish flowers; white, with primrose bracts and pink tinge to upper petals.

### SUMMER=FLOWERING

# == OXALIS

They are very effective in masses or beds, and are particularly valuable for edgings. The bulbs, when planted three inches apart, produce an unbroken row of elegant foliage and pretty flowers. The bulbs, which are planted the first of May, or earlier, will flower by the first of June, and will furnish a neat and attractive budger than the planted the whole account. and attractive border the whole season. They are also very beautiful grown in hanging baskets.

Lasiandria—Beautifully cut foliage and rosy-pink.

Dieppa-Beautiful clover-like foliage, pure snowwhite flowers.

Rosea—Old rose or salmon.

Purpurea—Purple.
Fine Lar Bulbs—Any of these kinds, 20 cents per dozen; three dozen for 50 cents.

**GLOXINIA** 

The coloring is exquisite—the ground of many pure white, with throats of blue, scarlet-rose, crimson or velvety-purple; or the tubes are of bright color, with white throat. The bulbs should be started in a with white throat. The bulbs should be started in a warm place, and kept growing in a partially shaded place, protected from hard rains. They will bloom until late in summer, when they should be dried off, letting the leaves die, and can be kept over winter in a cellar free from frost. Dry bulbs, in mixture, price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.

We may safely say that perfection has been attained whe may safely say that perfection has been attained with this splendid flower. The Dahlia succeeds best in a strong, loamy soil, and if the soil around the plants is mulched with coarse manure it will assist them very much during the heat of the summer. Plants should be set about four feet apart. Price, 15 cents should be set about four feet apart.
each; any four for 50 cents.
SHOW DAHLIAS

A. D. Livoni—Clear pink, quilled petals.

Apple Blossoms—Blended red, pink and white.

Mrs. Wellsley—White, tipped crimson; very showy.

Queen of Yellows—Rich pure yellow; perfect form.

Red Hussar—Deep cardinal-red; the best of its color,

DECORATIVE VARIETIES

Baron Schroeder—Purple shaded blue; very large.
Black Beauty—A beautiful dark, velvety-maroon.
Catherine Duer—Iridescent Geranium-red.

Clafford W. Burton—Largest; canary-yellow.

Eldorado—Ball shaped; copper color; very fancy.

Grand Duke Alexis—Giant white, lavender tinged, quilled petals.

Henry Patrick—Large pure white.

Nymphae—Shrimp-pink with white center; most beautiful of all.

William Agnew—Large ball shaped; brilliant crimson-scarlet.

CACTUS VARIETIES

Kriemhilde—A magnificent new variety bearing perfect flowers of fresh delicate pink, shading to deep rose-pink. The center petals ultimately develop into white, giving the mature flower a captivating pink and white effect, unusual to this class.

Strathlein Krone—Rich, dazzling cardinal. A very

Standard Bearer-Rich fiery-scarlet. Winsome-A fine, large, creamy-white flower of rare

# HARDY PERENNIAL PLANTS

FOR PERMANENT PLANTING IN BORDERS OR BEDS

There is an increasing demand for plants that are perfectly hardy, and do not have to be taken up every fall or replaced every spring. The following list has been selected with great care, and contains a fine assortment of plants that make valuable permanent beds. They flower at different periods, so that a succession of bloom may be obtained from early in summer until after frosts in the fall.



# New Double White Anemone,

### WHIRLWIND

A beautiful semi-double form of the autumn-blooming White Anemone. Strong growth and healthy foliage and free bloomhealthy foliage and free bloomer. The flowers are two and one-half to three inches across, with several rows of large white petals; very durable, lasting much longer than those of a single variety. One of the finest hardy plants for cemetery planting, and excellent for cut flowers. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

Queen Charlotte—A grand new variety of Anemone, with

Queen Charlotte—A grand new variety of Anemone, with large semi-double, delicate pink flowers two to three inches in diameter, on upright stalks two to two and one-half feet high; perfectly hardy. It blooms in September, Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

AQUILEGIA OR COLUMBINE

AQUILEGIA OR COLUMBINE
New, Large-Flowering Hybrids
The flowers of this new strain are
greatly enlarged, and the range of
colors and shades has been increased.
They, of course, are hardy perennials,
luxuriating in the moister situations in
the garden, where they form permanent
clumps, growing from one and one-half
to two feet high. The large, unique,
long spurred flowers, gracefully hung on
long stems, are not only brilliantly effective on the plant, but
equally desirable when cut for vase and house decoration. Price,
10 cents each; six distinct sorts for 50 cents.

ASCLEPIAS TUBEROSA (Butterfly Flower)

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A beautiful hardy native plant. Flowers brilliant orange-red, on stems two feet high, each producing several heads of flowers. It is one of the showlest of our autumn flowers, and should be planted largely. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.

BAPTISIA (False Indigo)

Australis—A strong-growing plant, about two feet high; suitable either for the border or wild-garden, with dark green, deeply cut foliage, and spikes of dark blue flowers in June and July. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

DIELYTRA SPECTABILIS (Bleeding Heart)

These pretty spring bloomers with their graceful, drooping sprays of heart-shaped pink and white flowers, are very ornamental and bloom freely early in the season. The plants, being hardy, increase in size and bloom from year to year; large clumps. Price, 20 cents each; three for 50 cents.



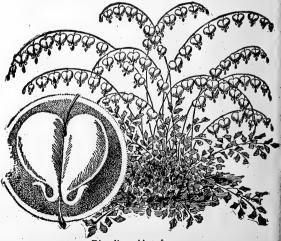
NEW ACHILLEA—THE PEARL

A hardy perennial, the top dying down to the ground every winter. A plant will produce hundreds and even thousands of flowers, and admirably dadapted for planting in the shrubbery; frequently have more than five hundred flowers at one time. It commences to bloom early in July, is a perfect mass of beautiful flowers till frost, the same bloom keeping perfect two or three months. Its flowers are pure white, 'perfectly double, and produced in large sprays, making it one of the finest cut flowers for bouquets, vases, baskets, etc., or for any kind of decorations. For cemetery planting it is the most valuable of all flowers. Price, 10c each; three for 25c.

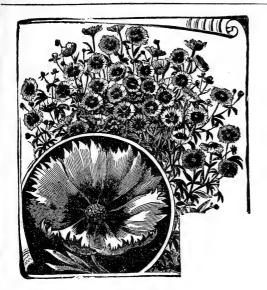
### HARDY ASTER, MICHAELMAS DAISY or STAR WORT

Tartaricus—Blooms in the fall with the Golden Rod, and makes a beautiful sight. The Tartarica is a very distinct species from Asia, has large leaves and sends up a stem six to seven feet high and covered with huge panicles of light purple flowers. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents. A most desirable late according to the lat sirable late season variety.

Novae Angliae—A handsome variety of our native Asters, growing three to three and one-half feet high. Its deep bluish-purple flowers measure one to one and one-half inches in diameter and make a charming show after many of the fall plants have succumbed to the cold weather. Price, 15 cents. each; two for 25 cents.



Bleeding Heart.



Coreopsis.

### COREOPSIS

Lanceolata Grandiflora—This handsome perennial is now probably the most popular perennial plant in cultivation. It begins to flower early in June, and continues in flower until cut down by severe freezing weather; it is continually one mass of golden-yellow. The flowers, which are of graceful form, are invaluable for cutting for decorative purposes; it is easily grown, is perfectly hardy, and succeeds in almost any position, and after once planted, takes care of itself. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

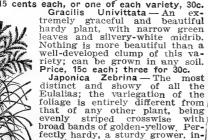
### CALLIRHOE (Poppy Mallow)

Involucrata—An elegant trailing plant, with finely divided foliage and large saucer-shaped flowers of bright rosy-crimson, with white centers, which are produced all summer and fall. Price, 15 cents each; i No for 25 cents.

### **EULALIAS or PAMPAS GRASS**

These beautiful hardy grasses are deserving of the highest commendation. For the lawn they are invaluable, being very showy and ornamental and of easy cultivation. They form large clumps five to seven feet high and are perfectly hardy in all parts of the country. Price, 15 cents each, or one of each variety, 30c.

Gracilis Univittata—An extremely graceful and beautiful hardy plant, with narrow green leaves and silvery-white midrib. Nothing is more beautiful than a well-developed clump of this va-



broad bands of golden-yellow. Perfectly hardy, a sturdy grower, increasing in size and beauty from
year to year; a plant that has
been established two or three
years often producing fifty to one
hundred of its beautiful large
plumes. Price, 15c each; 3 for 30c.
Japonica Variegata—A favorite
ornamental plant, having long,
marrow leaves, striped with white
and green. Price, 15 cents each;
three for 30 cents.

and green. Price, three for 30 cents.

Eulalia Gracilis

### HARDY GARDEN HELIOTROPE

A greatly improved form. The size of the foliage and its quality are doubled; the habit of the plant is made compact and bushy; the size of the lavender-blue flowers is magnified beyond belief, specimen heads measuring ten to fifteen inches across. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

### DELPHINIUM

(Hardy Larkspur.) The hardy Lark-our is one of the spur is one of the most important and satisfactory plants in the her-baceous garden. Their long spikes of flowers are produced continuously from June until late in the fall if the precaution is taken to remove the flower stems before they can produce seed.

Formosum—Prob-ably the best known and most known and most popular of the Larkspurs, producing long spikes of deep blue flowers with white eye; one

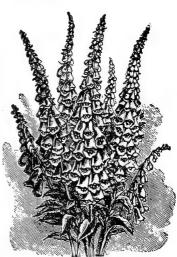


of the best. Price, Hardy Larkspur.
15c each; 2 for 25c.
Album—A pure white form of the above.
15 cents each; two for 25 cents. Price,

### DIGITALIS

(Foxglove.)

(Gloxinaeflora) These are among the most satisfac-tory of our early summer - flowering hardy peresucceeding almost all perennials, under conditions, and with but trifling attention will give a wealth of flowers during July and August. The Gloxinia-flora varieties have been used extensively, with very good ef-fect, in a number of our larger public parks for naturalizing in shrubberies and other semishady situations. This strain embraces a wide range of color from pure white to deep pink. Price, 15c each; two for 25 cents.



Foxglove.



Funkia Cordata Alba.

### FUNKIAS—Day Lilies.

Cordata—A handsome, showy plant with beautiful large broad leaves. Flowers large, pure waxy-white, borne in large trusses. Very fragrant. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

Undulata Variegata—Leaves eight to ten inches long, two to three inches wide, beautifully variegated yellow and green. Flowers deep blue. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.



Gaillardia Grandiflora.

### GAILLARDIA GRANDIFLORA

(Blanket Flower) Flowers large, brightly colored and of perfect form. Blooms from June till October or November. Center of flower deep maroon, with petals of orange, crimson and red, shaded into rings of color. Grows two feet high; one of the best for cutting. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

### HELIANTHUS

Soliel D'Or—A valuable variety that closely resembles a Cactus Dahlia in shape and finish. A splendid sort, blooming in great profusion the entire season. Beautiful shade of clear yellow. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 ents.

Maximilliana—A most graceful single-flowered variety, growing from five to seven feet, continuing in bloom very late in the season. The flowers are produced in long, graceful sprays which make it invaluable for cutting purposes. Price, 10 ents each; three for 25 cents. for 25 cents.

### HARDY HIBISCUS

Crimson Eye—A remarkably showy and handsome hardy plant; robust grower, with dark stems and foliage, flowers are immense in size, often measuring twenty inches in circumference; color purest white, with a large spot of deep velvety-camson in the center of each flower; a striking combination of color, and one that must be seen to be fully appreciated; a well developed plant will produce several hundred of these flowers in a season; succeeds anywhere, and is perfectly hardy. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents. cents.

Moscheutos (Swamp Rose Mallow)—Flowers six inches in diameter; of a light rosy-red color with darker eye. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

### HYACINTHUS CANDICANS

An excellent bulbous plant for summer and autumn flowers. Its white, pendent, bell-shaped flowers are produced on flower stalks three to four feet high; each stalk having from twenty to thirty flowers. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.

### LINUM PERENNE (Perennial Elax)

A decidedly handsome little hardy plant for hardy border or rockery. Foliage is fine and graceful, while flowers are shaped like those of Phlox and appear all

through the season.

Blue—Clear, delicate, light blue. Very desirable as hardy perennials, are almost destitute of blue. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

### IBERIS-Candytuft

Sempervirens—(Evergreen.) A perfectly hardy pure white-flowering plant, especially adapted to cemetery planting and as borders to taller growing early flowering perennials. Blooms in April and May. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.

### LATHYRUS LATIFOLIUS (Perennial Pea)

Hardy climbing Pea, blooming from spring until fall. one of the most useful and ornamental of all hardy plants. May be trained to climb on trellis, wall, rockery, or anywhere climbing vines can be used. Flowers grand for cutting. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25

### LYCHNIS—LAMP FLOWER

Chalcedonica—Heart-lobed stars of brightest vermilion arranged in large flat panicles, make this variety as showy as a Geranium, and an excellent cutting sort. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

### DOUBLE HOLLYHOCKS

Few hardy plants combine as many good qualities or lend themselves as readily to varied uses as the Hollyhock. For planting in rows or groups on the lawn or interspersed among shrubbery they are invaluable. The flowers, which are as elegant in shape as Camellia, form perfect rosettes of the most lovely shades of crimson, yellow, pink, orange, white, etc. They require a deep, rich soil, and will repay in quantity and beauty of bloom any extra care. We offer a fine assortment in separate colors of double pink, red, white and yellow. Price, 15 cents each, set of four for 50 cents. 50 cents.

### **GERMAN IRIS**

Blooms earlier than Japan Iris. This variety is the true "Fleur de Lis," the national flower of France. They are perfectly hardy, thrive anywhere, deliciously fragrant and fine for cutting. In brauty the flowers rival the finest Orchids, the colors ranging through riches, yellows, intense purples, delicate blue, soft mauves, white and bronze of every imaginable shade. We offer five distinct colors. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.

# The Beautiful Japanese Iris Kempferi

(Hardy Plant.)

It is perfectly hardy; produces a dozen flower spikes three feet in height, each spike bearing from two to four enormous blossoms eight to ten inches across and of the most delicate and beautiful colors, markings and combinations. Price, 15 cents each; four distinct varieties for 50

Gekki-No-Nami (Waves on Moonlight)-Large double white, center gold and yellow

and yellow.

Iso-No-Nami (Shallow Waves)—Fine porcelain-blue, blotched deeper; center rosy-lilac flushed with gold.

Geisho-Ui (Name of Town)—Deep mahogany-red, base of petals lighter.

Kuma-Fungin (Excited Bear)—Large deep violet-blue; very fine.

Senjo-No-Hora (Air After Battle, Heavy with Smoke)—Blotched and veined violet-red, center of purple and gold.

Kumoma-No-Sora (Sky Amidst the Clouds)—White edged and flushed with blue, center banded yellow.



Japanese Iris.



Lily of the Valley.

### HEMEROCALLIS FLAVA

(Lemon Lily of Siberia.)

One of the most beautiful and desirable Lilies in xistence. You plant it once and you have it for all existence. existence. You plant it once and you have it for all time. Few plants present a more striking appearance on the lawn or border than a large clump of this clear, lemon-colored Lily, which is produced in the greatest-profusion, lasting in flower for a long time. It is perfectly hardy, requiring not the slightest protection. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

Holt's Mammoth—Plants of strong growth. Leaves very large, borne well above the ground, are of unusual substance, strong flavor and superior quality. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.

### RUDBECKIA NEWMANI

Grows one and one-half to two feet; plentifully supplied with broad single flowers of orange-yellow with a prominent brown cone. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

### PENTSTEMON—Beard Tongue

Barbatus Torreyi-Throws out spikes three to four feet, covered with bright scarlet flowers. cents each. Price, 15

### PLATYCODON

(Chinese Bell Flower.)

Grandiflorum—Blooms constantly from July until late in September; flowers large, bell-shaped, of a deep shade of blue. An extremely rapid-growing plant; will do well in any ordinary garden soil. Perfectly hardy, making a dense branching bush two to three feet high. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25c.

### PHYSOSTEGIA—False Dragon Head

Speciosa Alba—A pure white, mid-summer blooming hardy plant, growing three feet or more in height. Flowers small, tubular in form, growing thick together

on good length spikes. A very beautiful free flowering plant. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents. Virginica—Forms tall, handsome clumps, with many spikes of rosy-purple flowers through July and August. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

### PYRETHRUM ULIGINOSUM

(Great Ox-Eye Daisy.)

Stout, upright plants four to five feet high, with beautiful fern-like foliage; large flowers, two to three inches across, white, with bright yellow center; long stems which are splendid for cutting purposes; very choice. August to October. Price, 15c each; two for 25c.

PLUMBAGO LARPENTAE

(Lead Wort.)

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Lady Larpent—This beautiful variety of Plumbago is unquestionably the most distinct and valuable hardy herbaceous plant now in cultivation. The plants are strong, upright in habit, growing to a height of twelve to fifteen inches in compact clumps, and from the middle of July until severe frosts are covered with rich, violet-blue colored flowers, borne in close terminal heads. The foliage is unique, finely serrated and fringing the stems. We heartily recommend this fine variety for edging walks, beds or borders. Price, 10 cents each; six for 50 cents; fifteen for \$1.00,

### LILY OF THE VALLEY

Forced in immense quantities for cut flower work by florists as they are useful in so many different combinations, but their main hold upon the affections of plant lovers is their hardiness and humility. The Lily of the Valley will thrive in any kind of soil and throw up its beautiful, modest, fragrant white bells in the out-of-the-way nooks, the shady spots, the neglected corners, where bolder and more ambitious flowers would scorn to bloom. Will also adapt itself to pot culture in winter, its delicate, permeating fragrance making it especially desirable. Price, 5 cents each; 35 cents per dozen; \$2.50 per hundred.

### TRITOMA

Flame Flower, or Torch Lily.



Splendid and fall flowering plants, with stately flower scapes and dense summer magnificent dense terminal spikes of highly-colored flowers, familiarly known on account of their shape and glowing colors as the "Red-Hot Poker Plant."

Pfitzerii—A grand in provement on Tritoma Uvaria

Uvaria L The Tritoma Grandiflora. flower spikes, which are produced with considerable more freedom than in the old variety, are gigantic size, frequently four and one-half feet high. with heads of bloom over twelve inches long, ofa orange-scarlet, shading to salmon-rose on the edge; a firstclass acquisition.

Price, 25 cents each;
three for 60 cents.



Plumbago Larpentae.



Phlox.

# Prize Collection of Hardy Phlox

Among hardy perennial plants no class is of more importance than the Phloxes, succeeding in almost any position and flowering from early in summer until late in fall. They also improve from year to year, require little care and contain a range of color not found in any other hardy plant.

### PRIZE COLLECTION OF HARDY PHLOX

Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents; fifteen for \$1.00. Athis—Deep clear salmon. Some claim this to be the showiest variety in cultivation.

Beauty—Bright lavender-rose, with large, deep red

eve: extra fine.

Beranger—Ground color white, delicately suffused with rosy-pink and distinct amaranth-red eye; very

Bridesmaid-Pure white, with large crimson eye. Coquelicot—Medium. A pure orange-scarlet, with crimson eye. The finest and brightest standard red.

Du Guesclin-Gray-blue; starred, crimson center. Eclaireur—Medium. Brilliant rosy-magenta, with large, lighter halo; enormous florets. An excellent varietv.

Henry Murger-Big as a dollar; white, with extensive carmine center.

large-flowering early Independence-An excellent white; none better. An exceptional variety. all summer.

Miss Lingard—Longest spikes of any Phlox, blooms from the ground up. Waxy white, with lavender eye. Mme. P. Langier—Most popular red. Vivid crimson, darker eye. Makes a magnificent display when plant-

darker eye. Makes a magnineent display when planted in rows or masses.

Pantheon—Medium. Large, clear, bright pink.
Richard Wallace—A beautiful, violet-eyed white; exceptionally florescent and fadeless.

R. P. Struthers—Showy in the extreme; a bright, clear cherry-red, with distinct claret eye. Produces a mass of color. Snowflake-Pure white; extra good; one of the taller

**GOLDEN GLOW** 

(Rudbeckia Laciniata.)
Golden Glow—The grandest Hardy Perennial introduced in years. Grows five to seven feet and flowers from early summer until frost. Flowers are produced on long stems in enormous quantities and resemble golden-yellow Cactus Dahlias. Price, 10 cents each;

price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.

Purpurea—Large drooping petals colored reddishpurple, with a remarkably large cone-shaped center of brown, thickly set with golden tips in spiral lines.

Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

### SALVIA PRATENSIS

(Meadow Sage.)
A strong growing hardy plant of upright habit; valuable as a background to more dwarf perennials in beds or for grouping in mixed borders. Flowers deep blue. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

### SEDUM—Stone Crop

Spectabilis—One of the most showy of the upright growing forms. Grows to a height of fifteen to eighteen inches with large heads of light rose-colored flowers. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

#### SHASTA DAISY

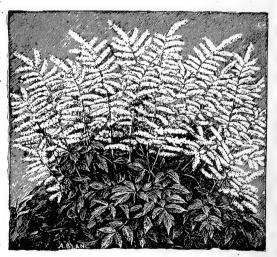
In growth the plants are as strong as a common field Daisy, very tall, well branched, with fine cut foliage and huge white flowers borne in profusion on long stiff stems. The flowers are pure white with gold center, petals very long and center soft and velvety. It is a very pretty hardy plant and one of the novelties that has come to stay. Price, 10 cents; three for 25 cents.

### STOKESIA CYANEA—Stoke's Aster

One of the prettiest and most distinct hardy plants in our collection. It produces large, showy, Asterlike, deep lavender-blue flowers in clustered heads from early in summer until cut down by severe frost in late fall. About eighteen inches high. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

### YUCCA FILAMENTOSA

Adam's Needle—A tropical-looking plant; long, narrow leaves that remain green the entire year. It throws up a long flower stem in the summer three or four feet high, bearing large spikes of creamy-white, bell-shaped flowers that retain their beauty a long time. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.



Spirea-Meadow Sweet.

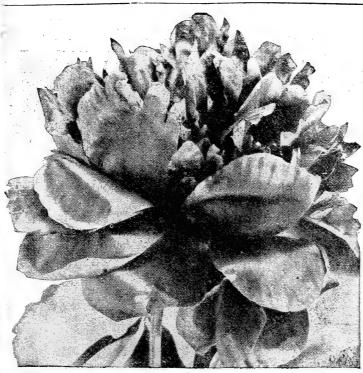
### SPIREA—Meadow Sweet

Japonica—This is the variety forced extensively for cut-flower trade. Flowers creamy-white. One of the most free-flowering of all the Spireas. Price, 20 cents

Palmata—One of the most beautiful hardy plants. Stems and branches purple-red. Flowers crimson-purple. Price, 15 cents each.

STATICE—Latifolia (Great Sea Lavender)

Most valuable plants either for the border or rockery, with tufts of leathery foliage and immense candelabra-like panicles of minute flowers, producing a remarkable effect; grows from fifteen to eighteen inches high, and blooms from June until September. Immense heads, two to three feet across, of deep blue flowers, which lasts for months if cut and dried. Price, 15 cents each.



Peony.

#### HARDY PEONIES

This family is one of the most important in existence, and the more they become known the greater will be the Great improvements have been made both in size of bloom and color: these range through the various shades of rose, pink, crimson, purple, white and yellow, some parti-colored, and many beautifully scented. perfectly hardy, and will luxuriate in almost any soil. Forming most attractive objects during May and June. Price, 25 cents each; the set of five distinct sorts for \$1.00.

Andre Laurie-Light red, late, very fragrant.

Achillea-Light flesh-pink to blushwhite.

Lady Bramwell-Fine silvery-rose, large guard petals.

Louis Van Houttei-Deep crimson, medium, free.

Queen Victoria-Large, full, compact bloom; opens flesh-white, changing to pure white; center petals tipped with carmine spots; a grand white Peony for any purpose. More of this is being planted for cut flowers than any other variety.

#### SUPERB NEW AND RARE DOUBLE HERBACEOUS PEONIES.

Alexander Dumas-Dark pink, very double, quite fra-

grant. Price, 40 cents each.

Duchesse De Nemours—Superb cup-shaped; sulphur-

Duchesse De Nemours—Superb cup-shaped; sulphurwhite, fading to pure white. In all Peonies there is nothing so exquisitely chaste and beautiful as this variety in the half open bud state; excels as a cut flower. Do not omit it. Price, 40 cents each.

Grandiflora Rubra—Enormous globes of deep, rich velvety-crimson. This variety took first prize at Chicago Peony show in 1905 over all comers in the red class. A showy, brilliant Peony. Price, 40 cents each. Felix Crousse—Large, full, ball-shaped bloom; brilliant red with ruby-flamed center. Exceptionally bright, effective and desirable. Price, 40 cents each.

Festiva Maxima—Enormous, very full, shell-formed bloom, often seven to eight inches in diameter on strong three and one-half foot stems. Color snow-white, with an occasional clear purple spot on the edges of center. Very fragrant. Price, 40 cents each.

Madame Ducel-Enormous and perfectly-formed globular; very free; color bright silvery-pink tinted and marked with salmon and silvery reflex, magnificent flex, magnificent Price, 40 cents flower variety and fine bedder. each.

SPECIAL OFFER-One each of the six new and rare Peonies for \$2.25.



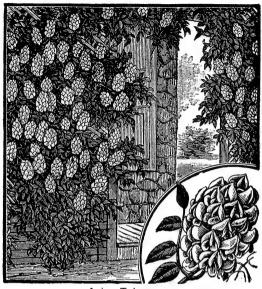
**OUR LATEST** NOVELTY HYDRANGEA

(Arborescens Grandiflora Alba.)

This beautiful hardy American shrub is the finest addition to this class of plants found in many years. The blooms are very large, of pure snow-white color, resembling a little the hardy shrub so well known, the a little the hardy shrub so well known, the Snowball, in color and make-up, only they are much larger in size and much more striking. One of its most valuable features is its coming into bloom just after the passing of all the early spring shrubs, while its long season of bloom, from early June through August, renders it a valuable June through August, renders it a valuable plant not only to the florist, but to the owner of every garden. It is perfectly hardy, standing twenty degrees below zero. The form of the panicle is much like the tender varieties of Hydrangeas. Its foliage is of a soft, velvety texture, not nearly as coarse as that of the Hardy Hydrangea Paniculata Grandiflora. This Hydrangea is bound to be the most widely grown and most useful of all in the Hydrangea family. It will be a most valuable plant to everyone buying from this catalogue. Price, nice young plants, strong and healthy, 15 cents each, or four for 50 cents. Strong, field grown plants, two years old, 30 cents, four for \$1.00.

Hydrangea Arborescens Grandiflora Alba,

## Hardy Ornamental Climbing Vines



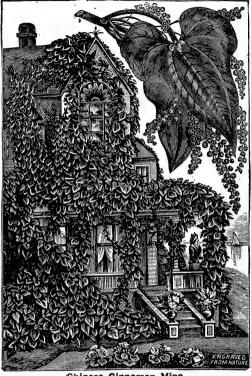
Apios Tuberosa.

#### APIOS TUBEROSA

A hardy tuberous-rooted climber, closely resembling the common Wistaria in vine and foliage, and having clusters of deep purple flowers, which have a strong violet fragrance. Plant the bulbs near a trellis, fence, tree or any place where you may wish a climber. They grow to a great height and bloom profusely. The bulbs are perfectly hardy and should not be taken up over winter. Price, 8 cents each; four for 25 cents.



-Chinese Twining. Honeysuckle-



Chinese Cinnamon Vine.

CHINESE CINNAMON VINES Pride of the Flowery Kingdom. Beautiful Leaves, Dainty Flowers, Exquisite Perfume, Most Desirable Easily Grown Rapid Climber in the World.

Easily Grown Rapid Climber in the World.
This Oriental Gem of the Far East comes to us a marvel of beauty and fragrance. Its rapid growth, abundant foliage and modest, sweet-scented flowers, give it supremacy over all foreign and domestic climbers. The handsome, glossy, heart-shaped leaves and clusters of fragrant—white flowers make a window, arbor or veranda a perfect bower of beauty. They stand the severest winter, and burst forth in all their beauty and splendor very early in the spring. No one should miss planting this charming vine. Once planted, it will last a lifetime. Price, of Cinnamon Vine Tubers, or Roots, extra quality, sure to grow, 8 cents each; four for 25 cents.

#### HONEYSUCKLES

The dear old Honeysuckle is never out of place, at the rich man's mansion or the poor man's cottage. For a cheap, hardy, robust yet lovely vine, it is the chief standby.

chief standby.

Aurea Reticulata—A variety with beautiful variegated foliage; leaves are netted and veined with clear yellow; flowers yellow and fragrant. Price, 10c each. Chinese Twining—Blooms at intervals through the summer and retains its foliage late in winter; flowers nearly white, quite distinct. Price, 10 cents each.

Scarlet Trumpet—A strong, rapid grower; blossoms very freely the entire season; bright red trumpetshaped flowers. Price, 15 cents each.

One each of the three Honeysuckles for 25 cents.

#### KUDZU VINE

Pueraria Thunbergiana—A twining vine of remarkably rapid growth, attaining a length of forty to fifty feet in one season from established roots which are feet in one season from established roots which are hardy, though the vine dies down every winter in the North. Foliage large and lobed, purple pea-shaped flowers in clusters, borne late in the season. A fine vine for arbors, verandas, etc. Price, 20 cents each; three for 50 cents.

### HARDY ORNAMENTAL CLIMBING VINES



Ampelopsis Veitchii-Boston Ivy.

AMPELOPSIS VEITCHII—Boston Ivy

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The tendrils of this climbing vine at nearly every
joint cling firmly to the smoothest surface of rock or
wood. The glossy leaves assume in the autumn the
most beautiful tints of scarlet and crimson. The handsomest vine possible for growth on house walls, especially the foundation and first story, round the doors
and windows. It is quite hardy, but some protection
of straw may well be used immediately around the
plant in winter. Price, extra heavy roots, 30 cents
each; three for 75 cents.



Clematis Paniculata.



Clematis Jackmani.

#### HARDY CLEMATIS

The Clematis we offer this season are exceptionally fine. Many failures in the growing of Clematis are the result of too shallow planting; the crown of the roots should be set at least three inches below the surface of the soil. They delight in a rich, cool soil in an open, sunny position. For covering walls, trellises, or verandas, old trees or ruins, or as specimens on the lawn or for massing in large beds on the lawn, they have scarcely an equal, certainly no superior.

Jackmani—The flowers, when fully expanded, are from four to six inches in diameter; intense violet-purple, with a rich yelvety appearance and distinctly

ple, with a rich velvety appearance and distinctly veined. Flowers continuously from July until cut off by frosts. Large two-year-old roots, 40 cents each; three for \$1.00.

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Henryi — Fine, large, creamy-white flowers. A strong grower and very hardy, one of the best of white varieties; a perpetual bloomer. Price, large two-year-old roots, 40 cents each; three for \$1.00.

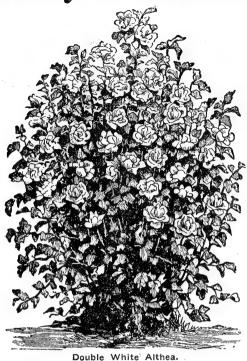
Mme. Edouard Andre, Large-Flowering Red Clematis — A very unique variety, color a beautiful wine-red, large flowers with heavy petals; a fine contrast to the other sorts. Price, large two-year-old roots, 40 cents each; three for \$1.00.

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#### **CLEMATIS PANICULATA**

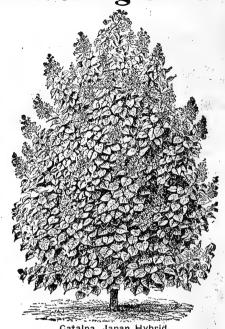
We cannot well say too much in praise of this vine. A clean, thrifty, robust-growing vine of graceful habit, with attractive glossy foliage, covered in August and September with a sheet of clustered snow-white bloom of the most delicious fragrance. No other vine so completely covers itself with flowers. An arbor or portico over which this Clematis is trained is a wall of white for the time being, and what makes it the more striking is that nearly all other vines have ceased blooming at that time. Perfectly hardy, grow rapidly. Price, field-grown plants, 15 cents each, three for 40 cents; extra large size, 30 cents each, three for 75 cents.

## Hardy Ornamental Flowering Shrubs



#### ALTHEA, or ROSE OF SHARON

Flowers of large size, bell-shaped, double, full, and of brilliant and striking colors, borne in great profusion in August and September; make beautiful ornamental hedges. We offer them in two colors, double rose and double white. Price, 15 cents each; four for 50 cents.



Catalpa, Japan Hybrid.

#### CATALPA

Tea's Japan Hybrid-Large, luxuriant foliage, hand-Tea's Japan Hybrid—Large, luxuriant foliage, hand-some white flowers, with purple dots and a touch of yellow around the throat, with a pleasant, delicate fragrance; a tree in bloom not only presents a magnificent spectacle to the eye, but also fills the air quite a distance with its agreeable odor. In rapidity of growth it rivals the most luxuriant trees of temperate climates. Price, 20 cents each; three for 50 cents.

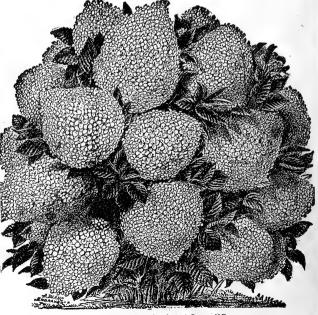


Japan Snowball. VIBURNUM PLICATUM

Japan Snowball—A new variety of Snowball from Japan, and one of the grandest shrubs. Growth upright and compact; foliage olive-green through the summer, but toward fall it turns much darker and remains on the plants for some time after the first frost. Flowers four to six inches across. Price, 25 cents each; three for 60 cents.

### The Hardy Hydrangea,

PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA
Suitable for lawns. The flowers are pure white, afterwards changing to pink, and are borne in immense pyramidal trusses nearly a foot long and nearly a foot in diameter. Blooms in midsummer and remains in bloom two or three months. Attains a height of three or four feet and is perfectly hardy. Price, strong one-year-old plants, 15 cents each; four for 50 cents. Strong two-year-old plants, 35 cents each; three for \$1.00.



Hydrangea Paniculata Grandiflora.



Philadelphus. **PHILADELPHUS** 

Mock Orange or Syringa.

Coronarius-A medium-sized shrub bearing an abundance of white, sweet-scented flowers last of May. Price, 15 cents each.



Weigelia



Blue Spirea.

#### SPIREAS

Blue Spirea, Caryopteris Mastacanthus-Blue Spirea is a fitting name for this remarkable new hardy plant. It is a sturdy, upright grower, and is extremely flori-ferous. The dense flower heads are of a rich kavender-blue, a rare color among flowers. Price, 15c each.

Spirea Billardii—Strong-growing, pink-flowered, late looming. Price, 15 cents each.

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Spirea Van Houtte—One of the most beautiful of all hedge plants. One mass of white when in bloom, and still beautiful in form and foliage, until frost removes the leaves. Price, 15 cents each.

New Crimson Spirea, Anthony Waterer—It outshines all the Spireas in brilliancy of color—a bright crimson. It makes a low, compact bush fifteen to eighteen inches high, and is covered nearly the whole growing season with large umbels of deep crimson flowers. Price. 15 cents each. season with large Price, 15 cents each.

#### LILACS

Common Purple—(Syringa Vulgaris.) The common purple species and one of the best. Price, 20c each. Common White—(S. Vulgaris, Alba.) Flowers pure white, very fragrant, beautiful. Price, 20 cents each.



Shrubs that bloom in July. Flowers produced in such great profusion as to almost entirely hide the foliage. Candida-This is the very best of all the white-flow-

ered Weigelas; a strong, upright, erect grower; flowers pure white and produced in great profusion. Price, 15 cents each.

Rosea-One of the most conspicuous shrubs that we cultivate, flowers pink. It is a dwarf grower and admirably adapted to small lawns or gardens. Price, 15 cents each.

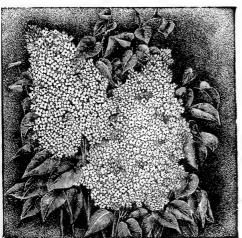
Price. Van Houtte-Deep crimson; very prolific. 15 cents each.

#### DEUTZIAS

Gracilis—A charming shrub. Flowers pure white, bell-shaped, delicately fringed and borne in such profusion as to cover the branches. Price, 15 cents.

Crenata—Four feet in height. Flowers double, of a pure white, beautifully tinged with rose. Price, 15c.

Candidissima-This elegant variety resembles Deutzia Crenata, except that the flowers are pure white in color. It excels all others in size of flower and bloom. Price, 15 cents each.



Deutzia Crenata.



The well known sweetscented shrub. It bears in May a profusion of double purple blossoms which have a strong, delicious pineapple fragrance, very popular. Price, 15 cents each.

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All the seeds herein offered are grown for us by the most experienced seedsmen of this country and Europe, All the seeds herein offered are grown for us by the most experienced seedsmen of this country and Europe, and are the best that money can buy. Every ounce of seed we send out is fresh. We buy the best, send out full sized packets and sell as cheaply as is consistent with honest goods. Most flower seeds germinate well in a fine, sandy loam, partly protected from the sun. Heat and moisture are the two essential points to start life in seeds. A general and fatal error is to start the seed too deep; small seeds should be barely covered with fine earth; large seeds by about half an inch. After sowing, the ground should be watered with a very fine sprinkler, regularly. Many seeds are killed by drought.

#### ABRONIA UMBELLATA

A Verbena-like plant, bearing rose-colored, fragrant flowers. Splendidly adapted for rock work and hanging baskets. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

#### AMPELOPSIS VEITCHII (Japan or Boston Ivy.)

(Illustrated on page 71.) A hardy perennial climber, with glossy-green leaves, which change to scarlet in the autumn. The most valuable climber for covering walls. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

#### ALLEGHENY VINE

Mountain Fringe or Adlumia Cirrhosa mountain Fringe or Addumia Cirrhosa—Hardy climbing plant, native of the Allegheny Mountains; very attractive and picturesque; dainty, feathery, pale green foliage; flowers delicate rose-pink and white. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

#### AGROSTEMMA (Rose of Heaven)

An attractive free-flowering hardy perennial of easy culture, producing bright colored flowers on long, slender stems like a single pink; blooms the first sea-son; fine for cutting; one to two feet; mixed varieties. Price, 5 cents per mixed packet.

#### ANTIRRHINUM (Snapdragon)

One of the most constant bloomers of all the hardy perennials, and it flowers very freely the first year from the seed. The flowers are produced on long spikes. Very popular in cut flower market. Mixed Tall—Twenty kinds and colors. Price, packet, 5 cents.

Tall Coral Red—New color. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

Dwarf Mixed — Finest Tom Thumb. Price, packet, 5 cents.

Price, packet, 5 cents.

#### AGERATUM, Tom Thumb Varieties

(Illustrated on page 52.) Dwarf, compact-growing plants six to eight inches high, flowering freely throughout the season from spring-sown seed; splendid for bedding, edgings or pot culture. Blue, 5 cents; White, 5 cents; 1/4 ounce, 15 cents.

#### ACHILLEA (Double White Yarrow)

One of the best hardy white perennials in the list. Grows about two feet high, and from spring till frost is covered with heads of purest white double flowers. A grand plant for cemetery decoration. Easily grown from seed, flowering the first season if sown early. Packet, 5 cents.

#### **ABUTILON** (Chinese Bell Flower)

(Illustrated on page 51.) Free-flowering plants with drooping, bell-shaped flowers, some varieties being richly veined and striped. They are of easy culture, and are well adapted to the garden in summer and the house or greenhouse during the winter. Tender perennials. Extra fine mixed. Price, per packet, 8 cents.





Abronia Umbellata.









#### ANEMONE

Anemones bloom very quickly from seed and make splendid garden or pot plants, and the bulbs are good for an annual dis-play of beauty for years after. Flowers large, some double and some single, and of all colors. It is certainly interesting to grow these charming flowers from seed. Mixed colors. Packet, 5 cents.

#### **AMARANTHUS**

Brilliantly foliaged annuals, some of the varieties bearing curious racemes of flowers. All are useful in borders of tall plants, among shrubs, or for the center of large beds. Do not grow them too closely together, but give them sufficient room to develop their full beauty. We offer this in fine mixture, in which will be found the popular varieties known as "Love Lies Bleeding," "Fountain Plant," "Joseph's Coat," etc. Price, packet, 5c.

AQUILEGIA OR COLUMBINE
One of the best of the early summer perennials. Curious flowers, extremely graceful, and borne in great quantities high above the foliage, which itself is very beautiful and attractive. Extra fine for cutting. Price, 10 cents per packet, four for 25 cents.

for 25 cents.

Cerulea (Rocky Mountain Columbine)

—Flowers large, petals white, sepals deep blue, spurs very long; one of the most

beautiful.

California Hybrida—Very fine, mostly with golden-yellow petals; sepals and long spurs orange-crimson.

Chrysantha fl. pl.—Flowers large and double, and beautiful golden-yellow color.

Skinneri (Mexican Columbine) — Spurs long and contracted and scarlet in color; petals and sepals yellow and green.

SPLENDID MIXTURE of best and finest colors, double sorts. Packet, 5 cents.

ALYSUM

(Illustrated on page 51) A favorite literation.

(Illustrated on page 51.) A favorite little annual, because of its fragrance and abundance of bloom. Sow seed very early in the open ground. Dainty little plants for hanging baskets or small pots. Good

for cutting or button-hole bouquets.

Sweet—Racemes of small white flowers, honey-scented, and never out of bloom.

honey-scented, and never out of scales.

An improved variety; much larger flowers, of a pure white, and, if possible, more floriferous than the old Sweet. Packet, 5 cents; ½ ounce, 20c.

ANCHUSA (Cape Forget-me-not)

(Italica.) A rare and little known annual of great beauty which will thrive in a shady, out-of-the-way place, where scarcely anything else will grow. It\*resembles a large, beautiful Forget-me-not. Color a shade of deep blue. Blooms all summer. Packet, 5 cents.

#### **ANAGALLIS**

(Grandiflora.) Six. inches. (Grandinora.) Six inches. Bushy garden annual, rich Browallia-like flowers, one inch across. They are universal favorites for planting in beds of the flower garden where their numerous blue or red flowers, expanded whenever the sun shines, are very effective.

Mixed Colors—Packet, 5 cents.

ASPARAGUS VERTICILLATUS

A beautiful climber, having feathery foliage and scarlet berries which are quite ornamental; hardy perennial; about ten to fifteen feet high. Packet, 5 cents.

### ASTERS WITH

The acknowledged queen of autumn annuals. Indispensable for the flower garden, fine as a show plant for fairs and exhibitions, and charming pot plants. Very profuse bloomers, with exceedingly beautiful flowers of most exquisite colors and almost perfect form. For an autumn display it has no successful rival among the annuals. Given a deep, rich soil, mulching with coarse manure, produces elegant flowers. Ten inches apart is a proper distance to make a showy bed.



#### GIANT COMET ASTERS

The plants grow about eighteen inches high on long, stiff stalks; bear in abundance their beautiful flowers. These flowers, with their long, twisted petals, strikingly resemble Japanese Chrysanthemums of very large size, larger in fact than those of any other Aster, so that, all in all, they are ideal Asters for cut flowers. 

Giant Comet Aster, The Bride—At first pure white, then changing to blush and pink, finally to rosy-red; the plants have all these shades at one time, making a splendid effect. Price, 10 cents per packet.

Giant Comet Mixed-Price, 10 cents per packet.

#### GIANT OSTRICH PLUME

Pure white. This magnificent class of Asters bears some resemblance to the Giant Comet, differing somewhat in the candelabrum form of growth. Its greatest merit, however, is in the flowers, which are of immense size, made up of very long, loosely formed petals, rivaling the best Japanese Chrysanthemums. White and pink, each 10 cents per packet.

#### HOHENZOLLERN ASTERS

This new race of Asters closely resembles the Giant-flowering Japanese Chrysanthemums. The flowers are very large, with beautifully curled and twisted petals and long stems, which makes them invaluable for cut flowers; it is also a very fine bedding and pot plant. White, pink and mixed. Price, 10 cents per packet.

#### WASHINGTON

This splendid variety is the largest Aster grown, bearing flowers five to six inches in diameter; very double; mixed colors. Price, 10 cents per packet.

#### **VARIOUS ASTERS**

Queen of the Market-The earliest of all Asters. Grows about nine inches high and very branching; the fine double flowers are produced very freely on long stems, making it valuable for cutting; the colors are deep blue, white, pink and deep rose. We offer seed in the finest mixture of the above colorings. cents per packet.

German Quilled Asters—These are great favorites on account of their free-blooming qualities, and the low price of the seed commends them to many who want a nice Aster for cutting. Price, 5 cents packet.

Truffant's Peony-Flowered—A valuable and standard variety. The most perfect Peony type known. Tall-growing, and bearing an enormous quantity of extra large double flowers splendidly incurved and of every shade, from pure white to glowing crimson. Twenty colors or more mixed. Price, 8 cents packet.

Dwarf Queen—A large-flowering dwarf Aster; very double; one foot; excellent for ribbon borders, beds or pots; finest crimson. Price, 8 cents per packet.

Triumph-A dwarf-growing Peony-flowered Aster; flowers perfectly double; of fautless form; deep scar-let; very rich. Packet, 8 cents.

Perennial Mixed—(Starworts, or Michaelmas Daisies.) Single-flowering, hardy herbaceous plants, thriving in any garden soil. If sown early in the spring, they will flower the first season. Price, 5 cents per packet.

#### **EXCELSIOR MIXTURE OF TALL ASTERS**

This is a mixture of the most beautiful, striking and distinct colors of all the above tall-growing Asters, selected from the cream of Truffant's, Victoria, Crown and other desirable sorts, and includes many kinds especially purchased for this mixture. This is the finest mixture of Tall Asters ever offered, and the most critical lover of this flower will be astonished at the wide range of colors and varieties given in this truly Excelsior strain. Price, 10 cents per packet.



Branching Asters.

#### BRANCHING ASTERS (Late Flowering)

The branching Asters are quite different in several respects from other Asters. They are of very strong, vigorous branching habit. The flowers are of very large size, each flower being carried on a long, upright stem, making them very great favorites for florists' bouquets, etc.

Bright Pink, Pure White and Purple, each 10 cents per packet; three for 25 cents,

All colors, mixed, per packet, 10 cents.

#### DOUBLE BALSAM

(Lady's Slipper.)

An old favorite garden flower, producing its gorgeous masses of beautiful brilliant colored double flowers.

White-Large, fine flower. packet, 5 cents.

Purple - Beautiful shade. Price. packet, 5 cents.

Pink—A superb sort, a c color. Price, packet, 5 cents. a clear, deep

Scarlet-Almost dazzling in brilliancy. Price, packet, 5 cents.

Lavender-Very fine. Price, packet, 5 cents.

Collection of above six separate DOU-BLE BALSAMS, 25 cents.

Fancy Spotted - Exceedingly showy. Fancy Spotted — Exceedingly Showy. This strain shows rare and beautiful shades of coloring, almost unknown in other flowers, and all spotted with pure white. Price, packet, 5 cents.

Carnation Striped-Many colors, finest mixed. Price, packet, 5 cents.

Extra Choice DOUBLE MIXED — Price, packet, 5 cents.

#### **BROWALLIA**

A beautiful bedding plant with shining green foliage and bearing charming sky-blue flowers. An excellent winter bloomer for pots and window boxes.

Packet, 5 cents.

#### Large Flowering Tuberous Rooted **BEGONIAS**

(Illustrated on page 36.)

Single, Large Flowering, Mixed Colors

From choicest erect-flowering varieties. Price, packet, 10 cents.
Double, Large Flowering, Mixed Colors—From prize varieties. Price, packet, 15 cents.

#### BALLOON VINE (Love in a Puff)

Annual, A rapid growing climber; flowers white; seed vessels look like miniature balloons. Price, packet, 5c.

#### **CLEMATIS**

(Illustrated on page 71.)

Large Flowering — Beautiful climber with lovely flowers in blue, white, pur-ple, etc. Hardy; can remain in per-manent situation. Mixed, price, packet, 10 cents.

#### CELOSIA, OR COXCOMB

Ostrich Feather—A beautiful feathered Celosia, producing large bright crimson and orange plumes. Our mixture includes some varieties of the brightest colors both in flowers and follogic Charles and follogic Charles and colors by the color of the colors o brightest colors both in nowers and foliage. The plant grows about three feet high, of handsome pyramidal form, and makes one of the most effective ornamental plants. Packet, 5 cents.

Dwarf Coxcomb Empress — Immense showy dark crimson combs. (See cut.)

Price, packet, 5 cents.

#### CALLIOPSIS, OR COREOPSIS

A very showy border plant, producing flowers in nearly every shade of yellow, orange, crimson, red and brown. Height two feet. Hardy annual. Golden Wave — Showy, large yellow flowers. Price, packet, 5 cents. Choice Sorts, Mixed—Packet, 5 cents.

#### **COBEA SCANDENS**

Elegant, rapid-growing climbers, attaining a height of twenty to thirty feet. Can be grown in the garden in summer, or in the greenhouse or conservatory in winter. Their luxuriance renders them particularly desirable for covering apports walls, etc., flowers large and bell-shaped.

Mixed Colors-Packet, 5 cents.











Cobea Scandens.

#### CENTAUREA (Cornflower)

The Blue Bottle or Bachelor's Button is one of the most attractive of all hardy annuals, the graceful beauty or its old-fashioned flowers being universally admired.

New Double Mixed Colors—Flowers of

New Double Mixed Colors—Flowers of many beautiful colors and generally double. Packet, 5 cents.

Centaurea Marguerite—This variety is entirely distinct. The plants grow eighteen inches in height, quite bushy, and stiffy erect. Flowers are of large size, purest white in color. Packet, 5

Centaurea Gymnocarpa—(Dusty Miller) Fine for bedding, vases, hanging baskets and pots; also extensively used for margins; fine cut, silvery-gray foliage. Packet, 5 cents.

#### CAMPANULA-BELL FLOWER

(Canterbury Bells.)

(Canterbury Bells.)
When planted in quantity for outdoor effects these are glorious.
Single Mixed — Beautiful bell-shaped flowers.
Packet, 5 cents.
Double Mixed — Finest varieties.
Packet, 5 cents.
Carpatica, Mixed — Free-flowering, blue and white mixed, continuing in bloom the whole season; hardy perennial. Packet, 5 cents.
Calycanthema—The handsomest of all the Campanulas, bearing very freely blue and white flowers resembling a cup and saucer. Mixed, packet, 5 cents.
Perennial Sorts, Mixed — Packet, 5 cents.

#### CALCEOLARIA

Very handsome and showy plants for the greenhouse or house culture. 'I'he plants grow about eighteen inches high, and during spring and summer are cov-ered with a great many curious pocket-like flowers. Price, packet, 10 cents.

#### CALENDULA

(Pot Marigold.) Very beautiful annuals, resembling double Asters; of rich colors and rapid growth; fine mixed. Packet, 5 cents. nuals, reschich colors

#### COMMELINA SELLOWINA

A lovely perpetual flowering "Wandering Jew," suitable for garden in summer or for pots all the year. The flowers look like blue butterflies; blooms in short time from seed and is a beautiful and showy flower which is sure to prove satisfactory. Packet. 10 cents.

#### CROZY'S DWARF CANNAS

(Illustrated on page 39.)
These new dwarf French Cannas bloom freely the first year from seed. The mixed seed we offer has been saved from the finest varieties of all colors.

All Varieties and Colors Mixed—Price, packet, 5 cents.

#### CASTOR OIL BEAN (RICINUS)

New Zanzibar Bean—A new form of Ricinus, of short jointed, stout growth and extraordinarily large leaves, produced in such an abundance that the plant is a perfect pyramid of beautiful foliage. Seeds are of extraordinary size, beautifully mottled and speckled. White, pink, black, crimson, etc. Price, packet, 5 cents; ounce, 25 cents. Borboniensis—Very large and beautiful green foliage; grows fifteen feethigh. Packet, 8 cents; ounce, 25 cents.

#### CINERARIA

A wonderfully beautiful greenhouse plant and not at all hard to grow. Seeds germinate quickly and easily and young plants grow off without any trouble. Keep in a shady place over summer, and remove to house in fall. Use insecticides to keep free from aphis, and as flower buds show, give good light. Grandiflora, Mixed — Large flowering prize varieties. Price, packet, 15 cents.



#### GIANT COSMOS

One of our favorite fall flowers. The newer varieties have added much to its beauty. Should be planted in broad masses or along borders, against evergreens or fences. Start the seed early in the house or frame, transplanting to the open ground. If topped or pinched back when half-grown, the plants will bloom earlier

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back when half-grown, the plants will bloom earlier and be a better shape.

White Pearl—Snow-white. Price, per packet, 5 cents. Pink—Price, per packet, 5 cents.
Crimson—Price, per packet, 5 cents.
Yellow—Price, per packet, 5 cents.
Mixed Colors—Large-flowering. Packet, 5 cents.
New California Hybrids—Some of the flowers in this new strain measure five inches across. The great charm of these new Cosmos is the wonderful diversity of colors, shades and markings; entirely unique Cosmos. Price, per packet, 10 cents.

#### CYCLAMEN



The heart - shaped foliage is beautifully shaded and marked, and the charming flowers, borne on long footstalks above the crown of foliage shows exquisite shades of white, crimson, blush and pink, most flowers showing two col-

Persicum — Extra fine strain, all colors mixed. Price, packet, 10 cents.

Giganteum - Grand, large-flowering, mixed. Price, per packet, 15

Cyclamen.

#### COLEUS

(Illustrated on page 54.)
Plants with richly colored foliage of maroon, green, crimson, yellow, etc. For groups on lawns and ribboning they are indispensable, and also valuable for pot culture. Although perennials, they attain perfection from seed the first season.
Fine Hybrids, Mixed—Per packet, 10 cents.

#### GIANT RAINBOW COLEUS

This is one of the most magnificent novelties. grow easily and rapidly from seed, making fine specimen plants in two or three months, and if you raise a thousand of them no two will be alike. The leaves are large (often a foot long) and wavy, spotted, mottled, striped, splashed, marbled, etc., with the most rich and charming colors—white, purple, pink, crimson, green, yellow, velvety-red and black—in endless variety. Price nacket, 15 cents. son, green, yellow, velvety-red a variety. Price, packet, 15 cents.

#### ANNUAL CHRYSANTHEMUMS

(Early Blooming Garden Sorts.)

The annual Chrysanthemums bear no resemblance to the late autumn varieties, but have a beauty distinctly their own. The plants grow from twelve to fourteen inches in height, have fine, delicate foliage, and produce beautiful daisy-like flowers of various bright rich colors. Mixed, all colors, packet, 5 cents.

Frutescens Grandiflora— (French Marquerites)

Frutescens Grandiflora — (French Marguerites.)
Largely grown for cut flowers. They make elegant bushy pot plants for winter flowering, and bloom all summer in the garden. White, Packet. 5 cents.

#### PERENNIAL CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Perennial Chrysanthemums cross fertilize with such wonderful variety that rarely two plants flower alike; all colors, markings and shapes known in Chrysanthe-mums, and now and then an extremely valuable new expected. Price, packet, 15 cents. variety may be



Margaret Carnation.

#### CARNATIONS

Seeds sown in the open ground in May or June will flower splendidly the next season. They are nearly everywhere hardy, but in very cold situations should be protected by straw or a few boughs.

German Extra Fine, Double Mixed—First quality.
Packet, 8 cents.

Double, Perpetual Flowered—Fine for winter blooming. Seed saved from the choicest double flowers.

Mixed, 10 cents per packet.

New Dwarf Double Carnation, Margaret—Its rapid development, flowering as it does four months after sowing the seed, its profusion of bloom, variety of beautiful colors, and delicious perfume, will insure its popularity in all gardens. Packet, 8 cents.

New Giant Margaret Carnation—Will bloom in about four months after sowing, and the plants will continue

four months after sowing, and the plants will continue to flower all through the summer. The flowers are of a very large size The colors include all the shades of white, pink, crimson and striped. Packet, 15 cents.

#### CANDYTUFT

New Giant Hyacinth-Flowered-A new variety of great beauty and most desirable for cut-flower purposes, producing a very large elongated head of quite large pure white florets. The immense broad florets. The immense broad heads of florets frequently measure six inches in length.

Price, per packet, 5 cents.

Fragrant-White. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

Queen of Italy-New dwarf; rosy-white; very fine. Packet, 5 cents,

Mixed — Many Candytuft, All Colors Mixed — Man fine shades. Packet, 5 cents. Hyacinth-Flowered.

#### PERENNIAL CANDYTUFT

Sempervirens-Extra fine for cemetery use, as the plants are a solid mass of white at just the time when flowers are most scarce. Price, packet, 5 cents.



#### DOUBLE DAISIES (Bellis Perennis)

Daisies are easily raised from spring-sown seed. In-dispensable for cool, shady places. With protection they will stand the winter.



Snowball-Large flowers, perfectly of purest Packet, 5 double, white cents.

Remarkable

Shasta Daisy Flowers are single, pure white, monstrous size, on stiff upright stems.

Double Daisy.

Once planted it will take care of itself, and increase in size and beauty from year to year. Will bloom first of year from seed. Price, pkt., 10c.

DAHLIAS (Illustrated on page 63.)

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Dahlias can be raised from seed and will bloom the first year. The seed we offer, if scwn early, will bloom profusely all the autumn.
Choice Double Mixed—Many colors. Packet, 5c.
Cactus Dahlia, Mixed Colors—Double flowers of distinct and remarkable appearance, the petals being quilled and curved, loosely and gracefully arranged in large double oval heads of bloom; the seed that we offer will produce many beautiful varieties, including several colors. Packet, 5 cents.

DIDISCUS—CERULEUS
This pretty and interesting appual blooms most

This pretty and interesting annual blooms most profusely from July till November; their exquisite pale lavender blossosm are excellent for cutting; plants grow about eighteen inches high, and have as many as fifty flowers open at one time.

ESCHSCHOLTZIA

The Cali-



Eschscholtzia (California Poppy.)

fornia Poppy is a showy, free - flow-ering plant of lowspre ading growth, with finely dividfinely divided foliage, blooming t h roughout the season; is one of the hardiest and most easily grown of our annuals.

Mixed-Single cup-shaped flowers in shades bright yellow, deep orange and silvery-white. Pkt. 5 cents.



Everlastings.

#### EVER-LASTING **FLOWERS**

These odd flowers never fade, but if cut in bud and blossom and dried, they will last they will last and retain their rich and bril-liant color for many years. They should be cut when in full bloom and dried in the with slowly shade, with their heads hanging down-ward to keep the stem straight. Mixed, per Mixed, per packet, 5 cents.

#### **FUCHSIAS**

(Illustrated on page 44.)

Fuchsias are as easily grown from seed as cuttings, and from seed many new varieties are obtained. They will flower freely the first season in open ground, while the plants can be taken in the house in the winter, where they will flower still more freely. Finest single and double varieties, mixed. Price, packet, 15c.

#### FOUR O'CLOCKS

(Mirabilis, or Marvel of Peru.) Plants are crowded for months with innumerable silk-like flowers of the most ravishing colors, and exhaling a delicious perfume. chaling a delicious perfume. These flowers owe their common name of "Four O'Clock" to the regularity with which their beautiful flowers open at that hour each afternoon. each afternoon.

Four O'Clock Mixed—Including variegated leaved sorts. Packet, 5 cents.

Four O'Clocks.

New Dwarf Sorts—These are fine plants, growing about twelve inches high, each forming a bush covered with flowers. All colors mixed. Price, 5 cents.



Forget-Me-Nots (Myosotis).

#### FORGET-ME-NOTS, or MYOSOTIS

The beautiful Forget-Me-Not is a synonym for faith-liness and undying affection. Beautiful for shady The beautiful Forget-Me-Not is a synonym for faithfulness and undying affection. Beautiful for shady nooks and quiet beds, and exquisite for cutting and for wearing. It flourishes best in a moist, shady situation and is in constant bloom nearly the whole season. Fall sown seed will flower in early spring. It sown in boxes in the house early, will flower the first season.

Myosotis Alpestris—Blue. Packet, 5 Alba—Pure white. Packet, 5 cents. Mixed—Packet, 5 cents. Packet, 5 cents.

#### HARDY GARDEN PINKS (DIANTHUS)

(Illustrated on page 43.)

These beautiful free-flowering, half-hardy plants furnish an abundance of bright and varied-colored flowers all through the summer and fall.

Chinensis fl. pl.—(Double China Pink.) This species is a biennial of dwarf habit; flowers the first year, but the bloom is stronger the second. The colors are very rich, and in large beds you can hardly find two alike.

Price, packet 5 cents.

Laciniatus fl. pl.—Magnificent, large, perfectly double and deeply fringed flowers; finest mixed. Price, packet,

Double Brilliant Maroon — Very valuable for cur flowers and in bouquets. Price, packet, 5 cents.

Plumarius, Double Mixed—(Double Pheasant's Eye Pink.) Double fringed flowers; fragrant, and of white, crimson or purple shades, spotted and variegated, nine to twelve inches high. Price, 10 cents.

Plumarius, Single Mixed—(Feathered Pheasant's Eye Pink.) Large, single, fragrant flowers of beautiful colors and finely fringed. Price, 5 cents.

Double Cyclops Pinks—This magnificent new strain of Pinks produces an entirely new series of colors of unapproachable beauty, exquisite combinations of colors, the predominating shades being delicate rose, flesh-pink, copper color, salmon, wine-red, white, crimson, etc., the beauty being further enlivened by a large eye-like zone of velvety blood-red; clove-like perfume. Price, 10 cents.

CHOICE MIXTURE of Double Varieties—Packet, 5c.

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#### GAILLARDIA

(Illustrated on page 66.)

Grandiflora Superba—Splendid new perennial varieties, with very large flowers, dark crimson centers, marked with rings of many brilliant colors. Price, packet, 5 cents.

#### GILIA

Free-blooming annuals, fine for beds; will bloom in any situation; looks well on the lawn in beds, are good for rockeries, and can be planted at any season. Mixed colors. ed at any season. Mixed colors. Packet, 5 cents.

#### ORNAMENTAL GOURDS

Well-known climbers, with the most fantastic and grotesque fruit imaginable. Fine for covering sheds, training over fences or brush piles, and always sure to attract the attention of the children, who love to play with the pretty striped and oddly crooked fruits. Keeps perfect for years. for years.

Mixed Sorts—All sizes, shapes and colors. Packet, 5 cents.

#### **GERANIUMS**

Zonal Varieties-Several from some of the finest collections and many choice and even new varieties may be expected. Price, packet, 10 cents.

Apple-Scented-This fragrant variety can only be grown from seed to form fine plants. Sow in light soil and keep moist until they germinate. Price, packet, 10 cents.

#### HUMULUS, or JAPANESE HOP

A new Hop from Japan, with finely cut foliage, remaining a beautiful green all summer unaffected by heat or drought; very rapid grower; will cover an immense space in a very short time if given plenty of liquid manure. Annual climber. Packet, 5 cents.

#### **HELIANTHUS CUCUMERFOLIUS**

New Sunflower.

New types. These improved, branching single Sunflowers are exceedingly popular for the garden and for cut flowers. Bushes three to four feet high, bearing from base to summit a continuous succession of flowers from June until frost. Flowers three to four inches across, borne on long stems in a few weeks from seed. Mixed, all colors, per packet, 10 cents.

#### HELIOTROPE

(Illustrated on page 55.) It is but little known that seed sown in rebruary and March will produce large flowering plants the first summer. Our mixture contains seed from many named sorts and will produce fine plants with proper treatment. Culture directions on package. Mixed varieties, very choice. Price, packet, 5 cents.

New Heliotrope, Lemoine's Giant Hybrids— Their fragrance is delicious. The colors are from pure white through all shades of violet and blue to deep indigo. Large and glossy leaves are borne on strong, erect stems, grow-ing about two feet in height. Price, packet, 10 cents.

#### HARDY HIBISCUS

Crimson Eye.

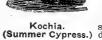
This grand hardy perennial Hibiscus comes true from seed. It is a robust grower with dark red stems and foliage. The flowers are immense in size, often measuring twenty inches in circumference. The color is of the purest white, with a large spot of deep velvety crimson in the center of each flower. A well developed plant will produce several hundred of these flowers in a season. Will succeed anywhere and is perfectly hardy, blooming the first year from seed sown in the open ground. Price, packet, 5 cents.







Ornamental Gourds.



#### DOUBLE HOLLYHOCKS

Seeds should be sown in June or July to have flowering plants the next summer; or, if sown in the house early in the spring, they will bloom the first year. Seed saved from one of the finest collections and will produce very lower double flow. will produce very large double flow-ers of striking beauty.

Chartiers Improved Double White Packet, 8 cents.

Chartiers Improved Double Rose—Packet, 8 cents.
Chartiers Improved Double Car-

-Packet, 8 cents.

Chartiers Improved Double Sulphur Yellow—Packet, 8 cents. One packet each of the four colors for 25 cents.

### HUNNEMANNIA, or BUSH ESCHSCHOLTZIA

This is a most beautiful plant and we want every one of our customers to plant at least one packet of it. The plants grow into a shrubby bush, two feet high, and produce large cupshaped flowers three inches across on stems twelve inches long. The color is of clear, bright yellow, the petals are broad and crinkled, like crushed satin. The flowers keep in water for two weeks. Large packet, 8 cents.

#### IMPATIENS SULTANI

One of the prettiest plants for pot culture and outdoor planting in a half-shaded situation; remarkable for long duration of bloom. It is very charming for winter blooming. When the plants are only a few inches in height they commence blooming, sending out perfect masses of rosy flowers. Packet, 10 cents. cents.

#### JACOBAEA (SENECIO)

Elegans fl. pl.—A showy free-flowering hardy annual. It produces in great profusion branching spikes of bright Cineraria-like double flowers, one and a half inches in diameter, from spring until fall, and will bloom all winter in a cool greenhouse. Excellent for bouquets. Mixed colors. Packet, 5 cents.

#### KOCHIA TRICOPHYLLA

Summer Cypress.

A highly ornamental annual of rapid growth which forms regular pyramids about growth which forms regular pyramids about three feet high, having a cypress-like appearance. The leaves are slender and of a light pea-green until September, when they change to carmine and blood-red. Its bright autumn coloring has given it two other names: "Mexican Fire Plant" and "Burning Bush." The flowers are minute but countless. Sow indoors in April and plant out in May, or sow in open ground about May 1st. Plants do best in a sunny exposure. Packet, 5 cents.

#### THE KUDZU VINE

THE KUDZU VINE
The New Japanese Flowering Bean.
This is the most rapid growing vine known.
It has a tuberous root, which is perfectly hardy, and in spring sends up vigorous shoots, which will quickly shade an entire plazza front. It will grow twenty feet the first summer from seed sown in the open ground in May. Its foliage is very luxuriant, and its rose colored fragrant flowers are produced in large clusters. For covering porches, arbors, fences, stumps, dead trees, etc., with a luxuriant curtain of foliage, and in the shortest possible space of time, there is no climber that can equal it. Packet, 8 cents.

LANTANA

#### LANTANA

(Illustrated on page 57.)

Fine mixed, rapid growing, constant blooming perennial plant for pot culture in winter or garden decoration in summer; cluster of orange, white, pink, etc. Packet, 5 cents.

#### LAVENDER

(Lavendula Spica.) Well known, sweet-scented, hardy perennial; should be extensively grown in the mixed bor(Summer Cypress.) der. Three feet. Packet, 5 cents.

#### LARKSPUR

(Illustrated on page 65.)

This is one of the best known of garden flowers. vast improvement has been effected, by careful selection and attentive cultivation, in size and color of the blossoms, and the general habit of the plant. Hardy annuals.

Double Dwarf Mixed—Packet, 5 cents.

Double Stock Flowered—A tall, branching variety, with long spikes of flowers. Mixed. Packet, 5 cents.



LATHYRUS (Everlasting or Hardy Sweet Pea)
Showy, free-flowering hardy perennial climbers for covering old stumps, fences, etc., continually in bloom;

ine for cutting.

Albus—Pure white, very desirable. Packet, 5 c
Splendens—Brilliant rosy-red. Packet, 5 cents. Packet, 5 cents.

Mixed-Packet, 5 cents.



#### Lobelia. LOBELIA

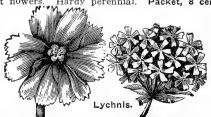
A most elegant and useful genus of plant of easy culture and well adapted for bedding, edgings, pot or rockeries.

rockeries.

Queen of Whites—Pure white flowers; half hardy annual. Packet, 5 cents.

Gracilis—The flowers are bright blue with white center; fine for baskets, vases, etc., trailing gracefully and blooming profusely; half hardy annual. Six inches high. Packet, 5 cents.

Fine Mixed—A number of the choicest and best varieties are to be found in this mixture. Packet, 5c. Cardinalis—Cardinal flower. A native species of very different habit from the above, and growing about two feet high, with spikes of intense brilliant scarlet flowers. Hardy perennial. Packet, 8 cents.



LYCHNIS, BURNING STAR
A blaze of brilliancy for months, if plants are kept
from seeding. Star-like blossoms covering the dwarf,
bushy plants like a cloud. Perfectly hardy, and blooms even better the second season than the first. Intensely bright scarlet, Packet, 5 cents.

#### **LEMON VERBENA**

The delightfully fragrant foliage of this favorite plant makes it very desirable for cutting; it is easily grown from seed. Packet, 5 cents.

#### MOONFLOWER

(Illustrated on page 57.)

The vines are literally covered with thousands of the immense white flowers, many of them measuring over seven inches across. Beginning to flower early in August, the vines are nightly covered with pure white flowers, emitting a rich Jasmine odor. Planted in rich ground, in a sunny situation, the vines attain a height of twenty-five feet in a season. Packet, 5 cents.



French Marigold.

#### MARIGOLD

MARIGOLD

A well-known free-flowering plant, of easy culture, with rich and beautiful varied double colored flowers. The African are best for large beds, while the French are adapted for small beds or a foreground for taller plants. Half-hardy annuals.

African Eldorado—Immense flowers ten to fourteen inches around, exceedingly double; quilled like a Dahlia; primrose, lemon, orange and golden shades; three feet. Price, 5 cents per packet.

Pride of the Garden—Immense flowers, densely double; color golden-yellow; a feature of this variety is the compact, dwarf habit. Price, 5 cents per packet.

Dwarf Double French Mixed — Yellow, brown and crimson, beautifully striped; two feet. Packet. 5 cents.

feet. Packet, 5 cents.

#### MIGNONETTE

Large-Flowering—The common Sweet Mignonette. Very fragrant. Price, 5 cents per packet.

Allen's Defiance — Mammoth spikes, more fragrant than any other. Florets of immense size and the cut flower frequently keeps three weeks. Packet, 8c.

Parson's White—Large spikes of bloom; the stamens are pure white and fragrant. Packet, 5c.

New Mixed Sorts—A fine mixture of a lot of new large-flowering sorts; a most magnificent mixture, and will give a varied and beautiful bed. Price, 5 cents per packet.



#### TALL MORNING GLORIES

Seed of the well-known Morning Glory is so cheap, the flowers so bright, and the vines of such rapid growth, that it should be planted largely to cover trellises and unsightly outhouses.

Fine Mixed—A great variety of colors of the popular old-fashioned Morning Glory. Packet, 5 cents; ounce,

10 cents.

#### Giant Imperial Japanese Morning Glories

These grand new Morning Glories from Japan are remarkable for the large size and exquisite new colors of the flower. The vines grow quickly to a height of twelve to twenty feet. They are of all shades of red, and innumerable shades of blue, from pale lavender to richest indigo and royal purple; also white, yellow, gray, slate, copper color, brown, bronze, almost black, and many other odd shades. Many varieties have a distinct marginal band of a different color, some are elegantly spotted with pink, crimson, blue, brown, etc. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 15 cents.

#### JAPANESE MAPLES

We have secured from Japan a quantity of seed saved from all the finest varieties (of which there are hundreds). When small they make most charming pot plants, the varied colors and patterns of the leaves making them highly attractive, many being beautifully variegated and mottled. Besides their fine colors they are beautifully cut and divided. Mixed seed of many sorts. Packet, 10 cents.

### NASTURTIUMS



#### TALL OR CLIMBING NASTURTIUMS

Beautiful and luxuriant climbers for trellises and arbors; of easiest culture, bearing gorgeous flowers in profusion until killed by frost. Price, 5 cents per packet; ounce, 15 cents; set of six varieties, 25 cents.

Edward Otto—Beautiful shade of brownish lilac.

Moonlight—Cream-white; very large flowers.

Scarlet—Brilliant scarlet.

Prince Henry—Cream, spotted and tipped scarlet.

Twilight—Large flowers, chamois-yellow, shaded with orange rose and splashed scarlet.

Butterfly—The color is a light lemon-yellow, marked on the three broad lower petals with a blotch of rich terra cotta red, the two upper petals are marked in chadre of bright red. shades of bright red.

Tall Nasturtiums Mixed—Of many bright colors; very effective when planted in long rows or masses. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; 1/4 lb., 25 cents.

TOM THUMB NASTURTIUMS

Dwarf or Bedding Varieties.
Their neat, compact growth, rich colored flowers and free-blooming and long-lasting qualities, together with their adaptability to almost any soil or situation, make them unsurpassed for garden decoration. Price, 5 cents per packet; ounce, 15 cents; set of six varieties

Crystal Palace Gem—Sulphur, maroon spots.
Cloth of Gold—Compact plants, with bright goldenyellow leaves and brilliant, scarlet flowers.
King Theodore—Deep purplish-green leaves; flowers

King Theodore—Deep purplish-green leaves, however dark rich crimson.

Bronze-Colored—A peculiar burnished bronze color.

Deep Scarlet—A very bright and vivid scarlet.

Ladybird — Rich golden-yellow, each petal barred with two broad veins of bright ruby crimson.

Mixed Tom Thumb Nasturtiums—This includes many showy colors, having both light and dark foliage in mixture. Price, 5 cents per packet; ounce, 10 in mixture. Price, 5 cents per packet; ounce, cents; 1/4 pound, 25 cents.

New Climbing Nasturtiums MME. GUNTHER'S HYBRIDS

For richness and variety of colors these new hybrids have no equal among Nasturtiums. It would be impossible to describe all the different colors. The foliage is mostly dark, and contrasts very effectively with the rich colors. They are climbers and free and con-tinuous bloomers. Price, large packet, 10 cents; two packets for 15 cents; ounce, 20 cents; 1/4 lb., 60 cents.

CHAMELEON NASTURTIUMS

When a plant of this novel sort is in full bloom one can find upon it flowers of almost every shade of color and form of marking known to Nasturtiums. No matter what color a flower may be when it opens, it is continually changing until it fades. Unlike many flowers which are notable because curious, those of the Chameleon Nasturtium are always beautiful and attractive.

Dwarf Chameleon—Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 15 cents. Tall Chameleon—Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 15 cents.

#### Our Superfine Mixture of TALL NASTURTIUMS

This mixture is composed of seeds from flowers of distinct colors in proportions that will produce the best results. The mixture cannot be surpassed. A most beautiful strain, flowering profusely, and having a wide range of bright and distinct colorings, embracing rose, pink, salmon, purple, velvety dark maroon, light yellow, and deep orange in self-colors, as well as most showy striped and blotched varieties. These are all of strong vigorous growth throwing out runas most showy striped and blotched varieties. These are all of strong, vigorous growth, throwing out running shoots that can be trained upon strings or wires, or can be readily made to climb the ordinary paling fences or wire netting. They are also very showy planted at the top of a steep slope and allowed to run down the bank. They are equally beautiful simply trailing on level ground. Price, for large packet, 10 cents; ounce, 20 cents; /4 pound, 50 cents.

#### "Special" Mixture of DWARF NASTURTIUMS

This mixture contains eighteen different varieties of Dwarf, or "Tom Thumb," Nasturtiums, and no better annual exists; for filling beds or borders with a continuous supply of flowers they are unexcelled. Their handsome foliage shows a variety of green shades, including both light and very dark blue-green leaves with distinct veins, as well as the old well-known tints, and the flowers are also greatly improved in coloring and in marking. Both this mixture and the "special mixture" of Tall Nasturtiums include varieties having blooms of a velvety texture new to the species, and some showing odd colors heretofore unknown among flowers. Price, large packet, 10 cents; ounce, 15 cents; 1/4 pound, 50 cents.

#### NICOTIANA SANDERAE

(Carmine Tuberose-Flowered Tobacco.)

Bushy, much-branched plants two feet high, the whole plant laden with flowers from base to summit— literally ablaze with handsome carmine-red fragrant blossoms, thousands of which are produced on a single plant, having a short, stout tube; they do not close up in the daytime, but remain open all day; the fragrance is decidedly delicious. Packet, 8 cents. Nicotiana Affinis—Very fragrant white flowers.

Price, packet, 5 cents.

LARGE

#### FLOWERING PETUNIAS

Giants of California— Gigantic flowers often five inches in diameter. conceivable of every concernants shade of crimson, pink, lavender, pure white, every shade of crimson, pink, lavender, pure white, etc. One of the chief points of excellence is the deep throat and diversity of veinings in the throat. Many of chroat, while others have a pure black one, so deep that it seems to show no veinings. Packet, 10c. Blotched and State of the flowers have a clear

—Flowers with starshaped blotches of symmetrical form; fine for bedding and window boxes. Price, packet, 5 cents.
Finest Mixed—A choice strain, including many of the large flowering varieties. Packet, 5 cents.

Double Striped and Blotched—Finest varieties. Sure to produce a good percentage of double-flowering plants. Packet, 15 cents.

#### **PYRETHRUM**

Hybridum fl. pl.—Too much cannot be said in favor of this grand hardy perennial. Their main season of blooming is in June, but if the old flower stems are removed they will give a fair sprinkling of flowers in the autumn. The bloom is similar to that of an Aster, and ranges in color from pure white and the various shades of pink and red to deep purple; mixed. Price, packet, 5 cents.

#### PEONY (Double Chinese Herbaceous)

(Illustrated on page 69.)

Grand, hardy, herbaceous plants, well-known ornaments of our gardens, with large double flowers in pink, crimson and white.

Mixed Colors-Packet, 10 cents.



#### POPPLES

Well-known hardy annuals and perennials flowering in great profusion throughout the summer. As early in spring as ground can be worked sow the seed where flowers are to bloom and cover lightly, since if planted too deep the seed will not germinate and the annual varieties do not bear transplanting. To insure a continuous bloom during a long season the flowers should be cut regularly and no seed pods allowed to form.

Snowdrift—Flowers as pure as the driven snow; large, double and full, yet soft and loose, like a great ball of snow. A mass of it in bloom is a grand sight. Its habit of growth is stout and compact, not attaining the height of most other large Poppies, which makes its enormous blossoms show to better advantage. Packet, 5 cents.

Fairy Blush-The flowers have the effect of a white, feathery ball, overcast with a rosy Packet, 5 cents. shade.

Shirley—A lovely single Poppy, with petals that seem stamped out of the most lustrous silk, and of the softest, most delicate colors or of the most brilliant hues, each flower widely margined with some other shade. No one can help admiring these beauties. Packet, 5 cents.

Peony Flowered-Splendid large double flowers, all colors mixed. Packet, 5 cents.

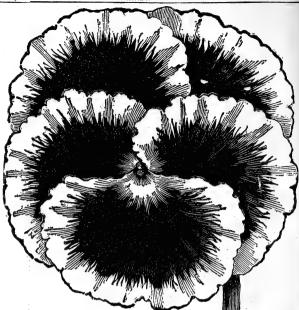


#### SPECIAL POPPY MIXTURE

Comprises not only all the Double and Single Popples described, but also a number of other sorts, specially purchased for this mixture, including some entirely new ones. Will make a grand display. Packet, 10 cents.

#### ICELAND POPPIES

These Poppies produce flowers the first year from seed. The colors range from the purest white to the deepest orange and scarlet and have a deilcious fragrance. For vases or house decorations they rank among the loveliest. Single mixed. Packet, 5 cents. Double Mixed—Packet, 10 cents.



#### GIANT PANSIES

Glant Trimardeau—Largest of all. The blossoms are simply enormous, perfect in form, and run through all the various colors, from the lightest shade to the darkest purple. Packet, 10 cents.

Giant Odler, Cassler and Bugnot—A superb mixture of these famous, large-flowered, spotted Pansies. The petals are large, of various colors, in the center of three, or sometimes of all five, of which are dark velvety blotches, shading out toward the edges and ending in fine hairy lines. Packet, 10 cents.

Giant Peacock—A striking variety, the upper petals being of a beautiful ultramarine-blue, while the lateral and lower are of a deep claret, with white margins. Packet, 10 cents.

#### INTERNATIONAL MIXTURE OF PANSY SEED

The result of our observations of the various strains produced, and of the favorites in our market, prompted us to prepare our International Mixture. It consists besides all the leading kinds of commerce, of seeds of the Giant, Bugnot, Cassier and Trimardeau, with flowers measuring when well grown; these inches in discount of the control of the cont the Giant, Bugnot, Cassier and Trimardeau, with flowers measuring, when well grown, three inches in diameter, and such beautiful colors as gold-bronze, silveredged, marbled, mahogany spotted, claret-red, and many others. Our International Mixture will produce for you, as it has for others, a Pansy bed which will be the wonder of the neighborhood and the joy of the owner. Price, packet, 10 cents.

#### MIXTURE OF SCARLET and RED PANSIES

This is a mixture of special selections of Pansies with red and scarlet flowers. It is partly made up of such varieties as Meteor, Red Riding Hood, Cardinal, Fiery Faces and also from some special selections we had made for this mixture by several Pansy specialists. A bed of these Pansies presents a striking and beautiful effect and will please every lover of this favorite flower. Packet, 10 cents.

Any three packets of above named Pansies for 25c.

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#### BEDDING PANSIES

A selection for bedding purposes, large flowers of good substance: Black, Fairy Queen, Rosy-Lilac, White, Blotched, Orange, Brown, Gold Margined, Psyche.

Packet, 5 cents; any four packets, 15 cents; or the whole collection for 30 cents.

Yellow.

Purple,

Fine Mixed Bedding Pansies-Packet, 5 cents. English, Extra Choice Mixed-From a splendid Engcollection of the largest flowering varieties. Packet, 5 cents.

#### CELESTIAL PEPPER

No trouble whatever to grow. Useful for culinary purposes, ornamental as pot plants, and useful in many ways. A fine sharp-flavored Pepper of transcendent beauty, setting its fruit early and continuing until cut down by frost. A well-grown plant will show peppers in every stage of growth, and in three or four different colors according to the stage of ripeness. ors, according to the stage of ripeness, creamy-white, pink and vivid scarlet, all on the bush together, a most novel and wonderful sight. Beautiful pot plants—in fact, few pot plants make such an attractive show as does the Pepper when in full bearing. Price, 5 cents per packet.

#### Phlox Drummondi Grandiflora

Or large-flowered section. These are decided improvements over the old class, with much larger flowers, a better range of colors and of more compact growth.

Alba—Pure white; very large. Packet, 5c.
Large Blood-Red—The darkest colored.
Packet, 5 cents.

Eclipse - Bright rosy-purple to violet. Packet, 5 cents.

Grandiflora - Choice mixed; all colors. Packet, 5 cents.

Semi-Double-Best mixed. Packet,

#### PHLOX DRUMMONDI NANA

'This new strain is of dwarf, compact habit, growing about six inches high; splendid for pot culture or for ribbon lines and for massing.

Dwarf-In choicest mixtures. Packet, 5c.

#### STAR-SHAPED PHLOX

Of dwarf habit, bearing pretty star-shaped flowers, varying from violet-blue to deep rose and blood-red, margined with white; choice mixed. Packet, 5 cents.

#### HARDY PHLOX

(Illustrated on page 68.)

Phlox Decussata—These rank among the finest herbaceous perennials for beds or borders. Mixture of the finest colors. borders. Mixtu Packet, 5 cents.

#### Fringed Chinese Primroses

(Illustrated on page 58.)

This charming and beautiful flowering plant is indispensable for winter or spring decorations in the home or conservatory. It is one of our most important of winterblooming pot plants.

Alba Magnifica—The finest pure white, with bright yellow eye, beautifully fringed. Packet, 10 cents.

Chiswick Red — Large, brilliant scarlet. The brightest of all. Packet, 10 cents.

Striped-White striped with rose. Packet, 10 cents.

Choicest Mixed — This mixture contains nothing but the finest sorts and cannot fail to give entire satisfaction. Packet, 8 cents.

#### PRIMULA OBCONICA

Primula Obconica is as near an ever-blooming plant as is possible to obtain. It has been known to flower for over twelve-months without a break. Packet, 10 cents.

#### HARDY PRIMROSES

Veris — (English Cowslip.) Flowers of different colors, yellow, brown and yellow edged, etc.; very fragrant; six inches. Packet, 5 cents.

Vulgaris — The common yellow English Primrose; flowers fragrant and of a light canary-yellow color. Packet, 5 cents.

Auricula—(Primula Auricula.) A well-known favorite of great beauty; half-hardy perennial; six inches; mixed. Packet, 5 well-



Phlox Drummondi Grandiflora.



Double Portulaca.



Schizanthus.



Ten-Weeks Stocks.

#### **PORTULACA**

There is scarcely any flower in cultivation that makes such a dazzling display of beauty as a bed of many-hued brilliant colored Portulacas. They thrive best in a rather rich, light loam or sandy soil and an exposed sunny situation. Half-hardy annual.

Double Mixed—All colors. Packet, 5c. Single Mixed—All colors. Packet, 5c.

#### SALVIA SPLENDENS

(Illustrated on page 60.)

Splendens — Large, scarlet; exceedingly showy and useful for cutting and for ornamental beds. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

#### SCHIZANTHUS (Butterfly or Fringe Flower)

The Schizanthus has been called the "poor man's orchid" on account of their easy culture and resemblance in form and variety of coloring to some of the floral aristocrats. May be sown out of doors in spring where they are to remain, or started inside and transplanted when the machine is suitable. A sowing made in ed inside and transplanted when the weather is suitable. A sowing made in autumn will give an abundance of bloom through the winter. We offer a splendid mixture of this interesting flower at 5 cents per packet.

#### SCABIOSA (Mourning Bride, or Sweet Scabiosa)

One of the handsomest summer border plants, producing in great profusion very double flowers in a variety of shades and colors; a splendid flower for table bouquets,

colors; a splendid flower for table bouquets, etc. Hardy annual; one to two feet.

Snowball—The plant is a strong grower, and the flowers are very large, perfectly double, and as white as snow. They are produced very freely. Packet, 5 cents.

New Double Blood-Red—A very striking color. Price, per packet, 5 cents.

Double—All colors mixed. Packet, 5c.

Double Mixed Colors—Dwarf habit; fine colors. Price, packet, 5 cents.

#### SUNFLOWER

Mammoth Russian - Enormous flowers. The well-known old Sunflower, with coarse, tall plants from four to eight feet in height, and Packet, 5 cents. and bright yellow flowers.

#### **TEN-WEEKS STOCKS**

One of the most popular plants, either for bedding, massing or pot culture; for brilliancy and diversity of color or protusion and duration of bloom is unsurpassed. The Ten-Weeks Stocks are generally cultivated, and bloom from ten to twelve weeks after being sown; they grow from six to eighteen inches high, and when grown in light, rich soil, they bear an immense quantity of bloom, each plant forming a perfect bouquet of delightful fragrance. Half-hardy annual.

Early Ten-Weeks Stocks—Twelve of the

fragrance. Half-hardy annual.
Early Ten-Weeks Stocks—Twelve of the
finest colors mixed. Packet, 8 cents.
Early Ten-Weeks Stocks—Pure white;
very sweet. Packet, 5 cents,
Early Ten-Weeks Stocks—Rich crimson.
Packet, 5 cents.
Early Ten-Weeks Stocks—Clear blue.

Early Ten-Weeks Stocks — Clear blue. Packet, 5 cents.
Early Ten-Weeks Stocks—Purple. Packet,

cents. Early Ten-Weeks Stocks—Bright pink.
Packet, 5 cents.
Early Ten-Weeks Stocks—Clear yellow.
Packet, 5 cents.
ONE PACKET EACH OF THE SIX
VARIETIES FOR 25 CENTS.

#### VIOLET

(Illustrated on page 61.)

A fine collection of many fine varieties and colors—blue, lavender, white. Many of the finest scented varieties are included; mixed sorts. Packet, 6 cents.



#### SIX OF THE MOST RECENT NOVELTIES IN SWEET PEAS

New varieties that have been tested thoroughly and found to be distinct and novel.

SPECIAL OFFER-One packet each of the Six Novelties for 35 cents.

Countess Spencer—Bright, clear pink showing a little deeper at the edges. The form is open, and the margins of the petals are wavy. Both standard and wings are very large. Packet, 8 cents; ounce, 20 cents.

Earl Cromer—Well expanded flower, crimson-lake in color, the back of the standard being overlaid with a pleasing red chocolate, the inside of the standard and wings being shaded with a soft lilac; long strong stems. Packet, 8 cents; ounce, 20 cents.

Gladys Unwin—The finest pink Sweet Pea yet introduced, quite fixed and distinct. Flowers large and bold, not hooded, very long stemmed; stems with four blooms. Color a beautiful pale rosy-pink. Packet, 8 cents; ounce, 20 cents.

Horace Wright—An entirely new deep violet-blue self, flowers of the expanded type and of giant size, borne on long stout stems. Packet, 8 cents; ounce, 20c.

Queen Alexandra - A grand new brilliant scarlet Sweet Pea. There is no red Sweet Pea. that approaches it in brilliancy and it will undoubtedly claim first place for cut flowers generally. The size is large and the stems of good length. Packet, 8c; ounce, 20c.

White Spencer—Flowers of enormous size that are absolutely pure white. The standard is decidedly waved, crinkled and fluted. The flowers are borne three and four to the stem; the stems measure from twelve to fifteen inches in length. The vines are nearly covered with bloom. Unsurpassed for cutting and for knowing of the being out. and for keeping after being cut. Packet, 10c; ounce, 25c.

Orchid Flowered Mixed—A splendid mixture, containing most of the named varieties of the Countess Spencer type of Sweet Peas. Packet, 8c; ounce, 20c.

#### DWARF "CUPID" SWEET PEAS

As the plants grow only about five to six inches high and spread out so as to form a mat of dark green foliage and pretty flowers, the "Cupids" are desirable not only for pot culture, but for making edgings and borders to beds. From June until late summer the literal property of the plant o tle plants are constantly laden with fragrant flowers.

New Cupids Mixed-Shades of white, yellow and red. from light rose to deep scarlet and maroon. Pack 5 cents; ounce, 10 cents; one-fourth pound, 25 cents. Packet,

#### SELECT LIST OF THE BEST STANDARD LARGE-FLOWERING SWEET PEAS

Price, 5 cents per packet, any six for 25 cents, or entire collection of twenty packets for 60 cents. One ounce of any one variety, 10 cents; 1/4 pound, 25 cents.

America—Bright blood-red striped on a white ground. Apple Blossom-Bright rosy-pink, beautifully blendwhite.

Blanche Ferry—Two weeks earlier than any other sort. Wings are nearly white, while the standards are a deep rose-pink. Hardy, vigorous and a dwarf grower. Black Knight-Deep maroon, veined black; large and open form.

Capt. of Blues-Fine large blue, lavender shaded.

Coccinea—Cerise-red, self color, very bright and effective; medium size, semi-hooded form.

Dorothy Eckford—The finest pure white; giant flower, also robust in growth and stem. The plant is short-jointed, and grows an enormous mass of bloom. The plant is

Dainty-White, daintily edged with pink. Emily Henderson—Flowers large, pure satin-white, on long, stiff stems. Free and persistent bloomer. Evelyn Byatt—Standard, scarlet-orange; wings roseorange. Medium size, open form. Flora Norton—A very bright blue, quite different from kindred varieties, being a brighter blue and

clearer color.

Clearer color.

King Edward—Bright scarlet. A solid deep color and very large sized flower.

Katherine Tracy—Bright pink; a large, bold, perfect flower, of great substance.

Lady Grisel Hamilton—Beautiful pale lavender; in form it is of the most advanced giant flowering type.

Lovely—The flowers are very large and of fine form. A delicate shell-pink tinged with yellow, producing a very warm, soft color of exceeding beauty. There are often four flowers on a stem

very warm, soft color of exceeding beauty. There are often four flowers on a stem. Mrs. E. Kenyon—A beautiful primrose color; a bold giant flower; and a most desirable variety. Mrs. Jos. Chamberlain—White, striped rose. Prince of Wales—Bright rose; large flower; the prettiest of the bright red varieties. Prima Donna—Soft pink; fine shade; grand flower. Senator—Purplish-maroon, heavily striped on white ground. Darkest striped variety.

#### OUR GRAND LARGE-FLOWERING MIXED SWEET PEAS

The finest mixture possible, as only the large-flowered or "Grandiflora" type (Eckford's) is used. More than one hundred different colors. They are perfectly magnificent. Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 8 cents; 1/4 pound, 20 cents; 1/2 pound, 35 cents.



## Bird of Paradise. BIRD OF PARADISE

This is a rare novelty and a very interesting plant. The flowers are golden-yellow, of beautiful shape, measuring nearly two and a half inches across. They are produced in very large trusses which bloom in great profusion the first year if sown early in the spring, and will produce a large plant three to five feet tall. It can be grown inside in winter if desired. When once grown it is sure to be planted each year. Try it. Packet, 5 cents.

#### SWEET WILLIAM

These make matchless border plants, with heads of bloom of great size and wonderful beauty; should be in every garden; height one and a half feet.

Perfection, Single Mixed
A splendid strain; flowers of
many bright colors, large
size and varied markings,
including auricula-eyed varieties. Packet, 5 cents.

Double, Mixed—Fine double flowers, which, however, to our fancy, are not so beautiful as the single. Packet, 5 cents.



Sweet William.

#### WALLFLOWER

An old favorite garden flower. The large, massive spikes of the Wallflower are very conspicuous in beds and borders and are very useful in making bouquets. Sow the seed early in hotbeds and while the plants are

small prick them out into pots and sink the pots in the earth. On approach of cold weather remove the pots to the house and the plants will bloom all winter.

Fine German Double, Mixed—Spikes of deliciously fragrant double flowers, combining many shades of color, chocolate-brown and orange-purple predominating. Per packet, 8 cents.

Extra Early Parisian—A new and direct type.
A magnificent golden-yellow single flowers, deliciously fragrant. Per packet, 5 cents.

#### **MAMMOTH VERBENAS**

(Illustrated on page 61.)

For garden beds or massing the Verbena is unrivaled; flowers of the most brilliant colors, blooming continually from spring until late in the autumn. Although perennials, these form luxuriant plants and bloom profusely the first season.

Verbena White—(Sea Foam.) Large and sweet-scented. Packet, 5 cents.

Defiance-Scarlet. Packet, 5 cents.

Italian Striped-Packet, 5 cents.

Shades of Blue, Mixed-Packet, 5 cents.

Mammoth Verbenas, Mixed—The individual florets on properly grown plants over one inch across—or larger than a 25-cent silver piece. They bloom freely, are vigorous in growth, and contain all of the beautiful new colors and shades. Mammoth mixed colors. Packet, 5 cents.

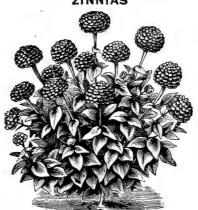


Wild Cucumber.

#### WILD CUCUMBER

A very rapid growing climber which reaches a height of thirty feet in one season. It is covered with beautiful clusters of white sweet-scented flowers followed by an abundance of ornamental prickly seed pods. It will quickly cover a trellis, pillar, an old tree or an unsightly building, and will reproduce itself from self-sown seed every year. Hardy annual. Packet, 5 cents.

ZINNIAS



Zinnias.

Improved Striped—A good strain, representing all the leading colors, all striped. This is really the finest strain of Striped or Zebra Zinnias in cultivation. Packet, 5 cents.

Improved Tall Double Mixed Colors—Saved only from

improved Tall Double Mixed Colors—Saved only from select flowers, perfect in colors. Packet, 5 cents. Improved Dwarf Double Mixed—Extra large, perfectly formed, double flowers; very fine; mixed colors. Packet, 5 cents.

#### FLOWER SEEDS STANDARD OTHER

In this list we name, with prices, other Standard Flower Seeds, which, from lack of space, were omitted from the preceding descriptive list. It is needless to say that the seeds of each are the best possible to procure—the best seeds grown.

Ambrosia-Hardy annual with long spiral stems. Packet, 5c. Amaranthus Cruentus-(Prince's Feather.) Scarlet;

three feet. Packet, 5c.
Amaranthus Caudatus—(Love Lies Bleeding.) Bloodred, drooping. Packet, 5c.
Amaranthus Tricolor—(Joseph's Coat.) Scarlet, green

Amaranthus Tricolor—(Joseph's Coat.) Scarlet, green and yellow; height two and one-half feet. Packet, 5c. Brachycome—(Swan River Daisy.) Very pretty low-growing annuals suitable for edging or pot culture; blooms profusely throughout the summer. Packet, 5c. Bryanopis—An ornamental climber of the Gourd family, bearing green fruit, which changes in color as the season advances to bright scarlet, striped white.

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Cacti—Mixed sorts; thirty to fifty kinds. Packet, 10c.
Calendula—(Pot Marigold.) Very beautiful annuals, resembling double Asters; of rich colors and rapid growing; fine mixed. Packet, 5c.
Canary Bird Creeper—This handsome annual climber belongs to the Nasturtium family. The Vines grow to a height of twenty feet, and are thickly covered with flowers, which are of clear golden-yellow. Packet, 5c.
Centrosema Grandiflora—Beautiful climber. Pkt., 5c.
Cyperus, or Umbrella Plant—Grows finely in water with rich soil or mud, throwing up long stalks with narrow green leaves; easily raised from seed. Pkt., 5c.
Cypress Vine—Finely cut foliage and brilliant flowers. Packet, 5c.

S. Packet, 5c.
Commelina Celestis—(Blue Day Flower.) Packet, 5c.

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Edelweiss—(Gnaphalium Leontopodium.) Famous and true Edelweiss of the Alps; flowers of a downy texture, pure white, star-shaped. Packet, 5c.

Euphorbia Marginata— (Snow-on-the-Mountain.) Packet, 5c.

Ferns—Mixed; spores of many varieties. Packet, 15c. Ferns—Mixed; spores of many varieties. Packet, 15c. Freesia Refracta Alba—Very easily grown from bulbs, which can readily be produced from seed; the flowers are pure white, with yellow throat; exquisitely fragrant. Packet, 5c.

Feverfew-(Double White.) Handsome double white flowers. Packet, 5c.

Godetia—Showy annuals of dwarf, compact growth, bearing freely large flowers three or four inches across, of exquisite colors and shades that glisten in the sunlight like satin; finest mixed. Packet, 5c.

Gourds, Ornamental-Mixed; many sorts in the finest

mixtures. Packet, 5c.
Gypsophila Paniculata—(Baby's Breath.) Miniature white. Packet, 5c.
Ice Plant — (Mesembryanthemum Crystallinum.)

Packet, 5c. Iris Kaempferi-

Jris Kaempferi—(Japan Iris.) Mixed colors. Pkt., 8c. Job's Tears—(Coix Lachryma.) Curious ornamental grass, with broad, corn-like leaves. Packet, 5c. Lily of the Valley—(Convallaria.) Packet, 5c. Linaria Cymballaria—(Kenilworth Ivy.) Packet, 5c. Linum Grandiflorum Rubrum—(Crimson Flax.) Pkt. 5c. Maurandya—Finest mixed; blue, white and mauve. Packet, 5c.

Packet, 5c.

Mimosa Pudica—(Sensitive Plant.) Curious annual;
the leaves instantly close up when touched; for either
pot or garden culture; two feet. Packet, 5c.

Mimulus Tigrinus—Fine spotted varieties. Pkt., 5c.
Mimulus Moschatus—Musk plant. Packet, 5c.
Momordica Balsamina—(Balsam Apple.) Packet, 5c.
Momordica Charantia—(Balsam Pear.) Very beautiful. Packet, 5c.

ful. Packet, 5c.

Nigelia Damascena—(Dwarf Double.) Of compact, neat habit of growth. Packet, 5c.

Oenothera—Large saucer-shaped blooms of the purest white or softest, richest shades of yellow, and deliciously fragrant. Packet, 5c.

Passiflora Cerulea—(Passion Flower.) Packet, 5c.

Rocket, Sweet Mixed—White and purple. Pkt., 5c.
Smilax—Perennial Climber for greenhouse or window
gardens; foliage and stems light green, graceful; excellent for decoration. Packet, 5c.
Solanum Capsicactrum—(Jerusalem Cherry.) A min-

iature tree-like plant, suitable for either garden or pot culture; round orange-searlet fruits. Packet, Sc. Sweet Sultan—(Centaurea Suaveolens.) Yellow Sweet S Packet, 5c.

-(Black-Eyed Susan.) Mixed. Mixed. Pkt., oc. Thunbergia-Thunbergia—(Diack-Laylor Dec.) This is a beautiful border plant two or three feet in height, with scarlet white and red flowers mixed. Packet, 5c. white and red flowers mixed. Packet, 5c.
Vinca—(The Popular Madagascar Periwinkle.) Mixed.

Packet, 5c.

#### SPECIAL COLLECTIONS FLOWER SEEDS OF

These collections are made up with our usual large-sized packets of choice, fresh seeds. They are put up ready for shipment before the rush of the busy season, consequently no changes can be made in them.

### Special Mixtures of Flower Seed

Flowers for Bouquets-This mixture contains seeds producing flowers suitable for cutting for vases and bouquets, nearly all having long stems and will furnish a constant supply of cut-flowers throughout the entire season. Packet, 5 cents.

Mixture of Climbers-A packet of seeds containing over twenty beautiful annual climbers, useful for covering outhouses, trellises, etc. Packet, 5 cents.

#### WILD FLOWER GARDEN

Each packet contains a great variety of pretty annual flowers of easy growth. The mixture will be found to be both interesting and useful. Interesting because new flowers open daily, "and you know not what a day may bring forth." Packet, 5 cents; ounce, 20 cents; one-quarter pound, 60 cents. COLLECTION B-SPECIAL 25-CENT COLLECTION
OF HARDY PERENNIAL FLOWER SEEDS

All hardy plants which live in the garden year after All hardy plants which live in the garden year atter year, blooming every spring, or summer. Many varieties bloom early in the spring, when the garden is almost destitute of flowers. For 25 cents we will send one full-sized packet each of the following ten perennials, fully described on previous pages:

Anemone—Fine for bouquets.

Aquilegia—Best double mixed.

Candytuft—White, fine for cemetery.

Campanula—Canterbury bells: perennial sorts mixed.

Candytuft—White, fine for cemetery.
Campanula—Canterbury bells; perennial sorts mixed,
Delphinium—Perennial Larkspur.
Gaillardia—Many brilliant colors,
Hollyhock—Mixed colors, stately garden plant.
Perennial Aster—Single-flowering mixed.
Sweet William—Makes fine display; fine for border.
Violets—Many fine varieties.
COLLECTION C—TEN VARIETIES OF CLIMBING
VINES FOR 25 CENTS
Lust what you need for covering fonces, arbors

Just what you need for covering fences, arbors, verandas, etc., and for hiding unsightly places. They are rapid climbers, and at the same time produce a constant display of showy flowers. For description see regular list: Maurandya

Balloon Vine Cobea Scandens Tall Nasturtiums Cypress Vine Morning Glory Japanese Hop Ornamental Gourds Lathyrus

### **VELVET LAWN GRASS MIXTURE**

Nothing adds more to the attractiveness of a home than well-kept, close, velvety lawn. Our lawn grass seed is the very best quality mixture of the finest varieties of natural grasses, embracing such as are of neat growth, hardy and best adapted to produce a permanent and fine turf. The quantity of seed required per acre is from three to four bushels. Our Velvet Lawn-Mixture is a compound of grasses that ripen successively, thereby always presenting a green and cheerful appearance. Lawns sown with only one or two grasses turn brown under our hot sun, and remain in that condition until the cool months of autumn revive them. Our mixtures can be relied upon to produce the very best results. Price, quart, 35 cents, postpaid; by express, 5 pounds, about 1 peck, \$1.50; 20 pounds, \$5.00. Must not be included in Club Rates.

The Seeds offered on this page include the leading varieties and those worthy of special notice. They are in every sense good, reliable and valuable. WE GUARANTEE OUR SEEDS TO BE STRICTLY TRUE TO NAME, PURE, OF HIGH EXCELLENCE, AND TO GROW, if properly treated, to the extent that should any prove otherwise we will refill the order without charge, or send any other seeds that may be selected, to the amount paid for same. SENT POSTPAID AT PRICES NAMED. IF ORDERED SENT BY EXPRESS, DEDUCT 8 CENTS PER PINT OR POUND.







Jersey Wakefield





Flat Dutch Cabbage. White Plume Celery.



Cauliflower.

-0,1	Carrot.	Cabba	ge.	1
	Variety.	Pkt.	Oz.	ålb.
large size, ver	almetto—Earliest, best yie y productive, best quality	5c	10c	20c
early, tender	ved Blood-Red Turnip— and sweet	5c	10c	20c
shape, most e	an—Extra early, dark red, xcellent quality	5c	10c	20c
riety and keer	Blood-Red—A standard late os well through the winter	5c	10c	20c
est and harde	y Jersey Wakefield—The st heading of first early cabb	ages. 5c	20c	60c
	e, Flat Dutch—Popular w e, oval, solid heads		20c	60c
Cabbage, Sure	head—Large, late, sure to leneral crop cabbage	head.		60c
Cabbage, Idea	al Winter—Large, solid h ms, reliable	eads,	25c	75c

- (White Traine celety.)		_	
Variety.	Pkt.	Oz.	⅓1b.
Lettuce, New York Market-Very large head			
best for summer use	5c	15c	35c
Lettuce, Early Curled Silesia—A leading early		100	300
		15.	35c
sort; fine for cutting	5c	15c	300
Lettuce, Hanson Hard Heading-Crisp and			
tender	5c	10c	30c
Lettuce, Grand Rapids—Large, loose heads:			
green, upright growth, fine shaper		10c	30c
Mustard—Black and white, each		10c	20c
Muskmelon, Early Prolific Nutmeg-Green			
flesh, thick, rich and melting	5c	10c	25c
		100	200
Muskmelon, Burrell's Gem-Sweetest of all		40-	05-
melons; deep salmon-yellow	. 5c	10c	25c
Muskmelon, Rocky Ford-Flesh thick, very			
sweet, green color, popular variety	5c	10c	30c
Okra, or Gumbo—Used in soups.		10c	20c







Long Green Cucumber

	THE STATE		
Burrell's Gem Muskmelon.	ARRIBAN	A MANAGEMENT	
Variety. P	kt.	Oz.	∄lb.
Carrot, Early Scarlet Horn-Blunt, half long.	50	10c	30c
Carrot, Imported Long Orange—Smooth,	•	-00	500
large, good keeper, flesh sweet and tender	5c	10c	30c
Cauliflower Early Snowball—Best sort for			
late summer and fall crop	15c\$	2.25	
late summer and fall crop  Celery, Giant Pascal—Best keeper for winter	_		
		200	50c
Celery. White Plume—Earliest in cultivation	5c	20c	50c
Celery, Winter Queen-Fine dwarf winter cel-		00-	E0-
ery	5c ·	20c	<b>50</b> c
Celery, Golden Self-Blanching—Clear waxen	5e	2509	1.00
yellow, very tender, crisp  Cucumber, New Klondike—For slicing and	90	2004	1.00
cucumber, New Mondike For Sheing and	5c	10c	30c
pickling. Excellent. Early, prolific	•		-
almost entirely for slicing	5c	15c	40c
almost entirely for slicingEarly, ex-			
tremely prolific, long, fine flavor	эc	15c	50c
Cucumber, Early Cluster—A very early variety	ac	10c	30c
Cucumber, Improved Long Green—Long and	_		
slim, medium early, fine for pickles	5c	10c	30c
Cucumber, Chicago Pickle-Sixty days to		400	00-
make pickles; it is productive, crisp and tender.	DC.	10c 20c	30c
Egg Plant, Thornless—Large, round purple	50	15c	50c
Endive—White, curled leaves, almost white	5c	100	300
Gourds, Dipper—For straight handles, grow on a trellis	5c	20c	
Gourds, Nest Egg and Hercules' Club, each		20c	65c
Garden Lemon—Its fruits make delicious pre-			
serves, sauces, etc., and are more easily pre-			
pared. Cultivate like the muskmelon	5c	20c	60c
Kohl Rabi, Turnip-Rooted Cabbage	5c	15c	50c

#### HERB SEEDS, Sweet, Pot and Medicinal.

Variety.	Pkt.	Oz.	₫lb.
<b>Anise</b> —For garnishing, cordials and flavoring <b>Balm</b> —For making balm tea and balm wine; use	5c	15c	40c
ful in fevers.  Basil, Sweet—Used for highly seasoned soups	. 5c	15c	40c
<b>Basil, Sweet</b> —Used for highly seasoned soups stews and sauces; sometimes placed in salads	, . 5c	15c	40c
Caraway—Used in confectionery, cakes and med	-	15c	40c
icineFor garnishing; seeds are aromati	c		
and useful for flavoring.  Dill—The aromatic seeds are used in pickles, pre	. ac	15c	40c
serves, soups and sauces  Fennel—Beautiful for garnishing; the seeds are	. 5c	15c	40c
employed in confectionery	e <b>5c</b>	15c	40c
<b>Horehound</b> —Used for curing coughs and colds	. 5c	15c	40c
Lavender—A popular aromatic herb, emitting a delightful perfume	. <b>5</b> c	15c	40c
Marjoram, Sweet—The leaves and ends of the shoots are popularly used for seasoning	5e	15c	40c
Rosemary—The aromatic leaves are used for	r	100	100
seasoning. The oil from the flowers is the chie ingredient in "Eau de Cologne"	f 5c	15c	40c
Sage—Leaves used in dressings and in sauces	. 5c	15c	40c
Savory, Summer—Used for seasoning and fla voring soups and dressings	- 5c	15c	40c
Thyme, Broad-Leaved—The leaves are dried	1	450	400
for seasoning; also useful as a bee food		15c 15c	40c 40c
world word medicinary and for pountry	30	200	100

Any six packets for 25 cents.







Egg Plant.



Hanson Lettuce.



Muskmelon.



Red Wethersfield Onion.



Scarlet Globe Radish



Rutabaga



Long Scarlet Radish Chinese Rose Radish





Spinach



Crookneck Squash



Crimson Cushion Tomato.

Variety.	kt.	Oz.	41b
Onion, Prize Taker-Immense size, fine grained,			
onion, Large Red Wethersfield—Productive,		20c	60c
excellent keeper	50	20c	60c
Onion, Yellow Globe Danvers—Ripens early, keeps well	50	20c	60c
Onion, Silver Skin—An early white variety	5c	20c	65c
Pepper, Ruby King—Enormous size, ruby-red. Pepper, Large Sweet Spanish—Large red, gen-	5c	25c	80c
erally used for pickles	.5c	25c	80c
<b>Pepper, Mammoth Golden Queen</b> —Best of all yellow sorts; large, sweet, prolific, mild	5c	25c	80c
Pepper, Red Cluster—Small, thin, hot, coral-red		25c	80c
Pumpkin, Large Sweet Cheese—Productive;	5c	10c	20c
color light cream, fine qualityFruits Pumpkin, King of the Mammoths—Fruits			
grow to an enormous size	5e	10c	25c
fine grained, rich flavor	5c	10c	20c
fine grained, rich flavorGood winter keeper	5c	15c	30c
Parsley, Extra Curled Dwarf—Leaves moss- like, bright green	5c	10c	25c
Parsnip, Long Sugar—Best for general culti-		40-	200
Radish, Extra Early Scarlet, White Tipped—		- 10c	20c
Forcing	5°C	10c	20c
Radish, Extra Early Scarlet Globe Radish, Lady Finger—Long, white, crisp, grapid	5c	10c	20c
grower; early, most desirable	. 5c	10c	20c
<b>Radish</b> , Early Long Scarlet—Long, slender,	5c	100	20c
crisp, fine for private garden	5.c	10c	
Radish, Winter, Chinese Rose—Excellent qual-	5c	10c	200
ity, good keeper  Radish, Crimson Giant Turnip—Crisp and of	7.7	and a	3 6
mild flavor	5c	10c	20c
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Variety. Pk	et.	Oz.	11b
Radish, Cincinnati Market-The finest long		1 /*	,
red, thin skin, brittle5	jc į	10c	20c
Rhubarb, Linnæus-Ready for use third year		40-	00-
from seed		10c	30c
	je.	15c 10c	40c 20c
	je.	TOG	200
Squash, Mammoth Summer Crookneck— Bright yellow, twice as large as ordinary; very			
	ic.	15c	30c
early, fine flavor	,.	100	000
desirable for fall and winter use	ic	15c	30c
		10c	25c
Squash. Hubbard-Standard winter squash 5	ic	10c	25c
Tomato, Crimson Cushion—Early, large, crim-			
con-coarlet few seeds	je.	25c	75c
Tomato, Sparks Earliana—The earliest now in			
cultivation, large, smooth, solid	ic	25c	75c
Tomato, Ponderosa—Large purple, solid flesh,			
tine for slicing	ic.	25c	75c
Tomato, Dwarf Stone Large, smooth, deep red	-	050	750
	ic.	25c	75c
Tomato, Buckeye State—Large, purple, solid,	īc.	30c	80c
		25c	75c
		10c	20c
Turnip, Extra Early White Milan—The ear-		100	200
liest flat white	5e	10c	20c
		10c	20c
Watermelon, Citron Best for citron preserves.	5c	10c	20c
Watermelon, Alabama Sweet-Southern fa-			
vorite, good size; rosy-pink, crisp, delicious fla-	. F		
vor	5c	10c	25c
Watermelon, Sweetheart-Flesh deep rich red 5	šc.	10c	25c
Watermelon, Cole's Early-Rind thin; scarlet			
flesh, best for Northern growing	5e	10c	25c
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### Select List of the Best BEANS, SWEET CORN and PEAS

Variety. P	kt.	Pint.	Qt.
Dwarf Beans, Stringless Green Pod—Absolutely stringless, early, pale green, long, straight, round and meaty	8c	25c	45c
Dwarf Beans, Davis Kidney Wax—Early, tender and fine; long, straight, oval, waxy-white color, has excellent flavor————————————————————————————————————	8c	25c	40c
Dwarf Beans, Bush Lima—Most popular of all for shell beans; grows without the aid of poles, in compact bush form, about eighteen inches high, very productive		25c	40c
Dwarf Beans, Extra Early Refugee—Pods are of a light green color, and solidly fleshy, of mild flavor. It is an excellent sort to come in after			
Stringless Green Pod	8c	25c	40c
slight strings. Bushes grow uniformly about fifteen inches in height and produce a large crop Pole Beans, Lazy Wife—The finest flavored of	<b>8</b> c	25c	40c
all. Pods medium dark green color, are produced in great abundance; they are broad and thick; very fleshy and entirely stringless	8c	25c	40c
Pole Beans, Kentucky Wonder—Very prolific; pods hang in great clusters and can be gathered by the handful; entirely stringless, plump,		31.7	
round and almost "solid meat," superb flavor	8c	20c	35c

Pkt. Pint. Pole Beans, Golden Cluster-The pods are 20c 25c crop variety for home use, market and canning; crop variety for home use, intaret and canning, grains long and slender.

Sweet Corn, Country Gentleman—A very fine late variety, small grain, very sweet; this is also known as "Shoe-peg" Corn

Peas, Extra Early Premium Gem—45 days.
One of the best early dwarf, wrinkled Peas for 20c 20c

market and family use, growing twelve to fif-20c teen inches high

Peas, American Wonder—Dwarf; earliest green
wrinkled sort; delicious flavor—Wrinkled sort; wrinkled sort; delicious flavor.

Peas, Champion of England—Wrinkled and very sugary; tall grower.

Peas, Dwarf Telephone—Medium early; bears great quantities of well-filled pods.

Peas, Improved Pride of the Market—Large

podded dwarf; handsome dark green pods\_

Special 50c Collection of Vegetable Seeds EIGHTEEN PACKETS OF CHOICE VEGETABLE seeds; Carrot, Long Orange; Gelery, White Plume; Cucumber, Chicago Pickle; Beets, Egyptian Early; Lettuce, Hanson's; Parsnip, Long Sugar; Tomato, Crimson Gushion; Onion, Prize Taker; Muskmelon, Rocky Ford; Watermelon, Sweetheart; Spinach, Thick-Leaved; Squash, Early White Bush; Parsley, Dwarf Curled; Turnip, Early White; Pepper, Ruby King; Radish, Scarlet Globe; Salsify, Vegetable Oyster.



Purple-Top Turnip.



White Milan Turnip-



KidnevWax Bean.



Hubbard Squash.



Bush Scallop Squash.



Qt.

35c

35c 40c

35c

35c

35c

35c 40c

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Cole's Early Watermelon.

### NURSERY DEPARTMENT

#### = CHOICE FRUITS AND ORNAMENTALS =

NOT ALLOWED IN CLUB RATES—Prices on NURSERY STOCK are placed very low and we cannot ollow them to be included in Club Rates, nor may they be taken as premiums.

The trees here offered are young and thrifty and will make a very rapid growth and bear quickly. When fruit trees or shrubs are received before they can be planted, they may be safely kept for any length of tire by having the roots packed in boxes of moist soil and stored in a cool cellar or shed. It is important to order fruit early, that they may be planted out before the foliage starts.

All nursery stock must be sent by express, unless otherwise stated in the offer.

When offered by mail, postage is paid by us; if by express or freight, charges are to be paid by purchaser; but larger stock will be sent.

SPECIAL NOTE—As our Nursery is a separate and distinct department from our Greenhouses, it is necessary that all nursery stock orders be shipped direct from the Nursery, and we therefore ask customers to kindly keep such orders separate from the Plant and Seed Orders.

Nursery stock will not be shipped with other plants.

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SHIPPING — APPLES AND OTHER LARGE TREES OR PLANTS CANNOT BE SHIPPED UNTIL

SPRING OPENS, USUALLY ABOUT MARCH 1st; AFTER THAT DATE ORDERS WILL BE FILLED

PROMPTLY. GRAPE VINES AND OTHER SMALL FRUITS CAN BE SENT WHEN DESIRED.

TREES BY MAIL—We have a choice lot of small one-year-old trees suitable for mailing to our customers in distant states, thus saving them heavy express charges. We know many will avail themselves of this opportunity of getting trees who could not otherwise do so.

## TWO NEW APPLES

#### WINTER BANANA APPLE

This valuable new Apple is a surprise to all who eat it, owing to the decided Banana flavor and taste it imparts, besides it comes into bearing in two years from planting, and continues to produce full crops each succeeding year. The fruit is large, perfect in form, golden-yellow, beautifully shaded and marbled with bright crimson. Flesh, lemon-yellow, creamy texture like a well ripened fall pippin, rich, of highest quality and a good keeper—from November until May. Tree a remarkably strong grower, of ironclad hardiness, with a large foliage that never blights or mildews and produces enormous crops every year. A truly wonderful fruit. The entire crop of Hood River, Oregon, Banana Apples sold at \$12.00 per box of less than one bushel. The highest price ever paid for Apples. Why not have a few good trees? Ours are genuine.

Each Dozen Each

One year, by mail.....

Dozen 4.00

### BISMARK APPLE

Just the thing for the city lot—can be planted 6x6 feet apart and do well. Trees never get large (about eight feet high). It is a dwarf variety and bears fruit at two to three years after planting. Trees are two and one-half to three feet high soon, a regular dwarf. Fruit large, handsome, yellow, sometimes shadled red cheek; flesh tender, pleasant sub-acid. Price, 35 cents each; \$4.00 per dozen. Mailing size, 35 cents each; \$4.00 per

### General List of Apples

Large Trees, 5 to 7 feet (by express)......\$0 35 \$3 50 
 Medium Trees, 4 to 5 feet (by express)
 25
 2 50

 Mailing Size, postpaid
 20
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Best Summer Varieties

Early Harvest,

Baldwin. Russet,

Hyslop,

Red Astracham,

Sweet Bough.

Yellow Transparent.

Best Fall Varieties

Duchess of Oldenberg, Fall Pippin, Maiden Blush, Wealthy.

Best Winter Varieties

win, Ben Davis, King, Northern Spy, Rhode Island Greening, Rome Beauty, Tallman Sweet, Stark, Winesap.

Wagner, %

York Imperial.

Crab Apples Transcendant,

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### THE BEST CHERRIES

Winter Banana Apple.

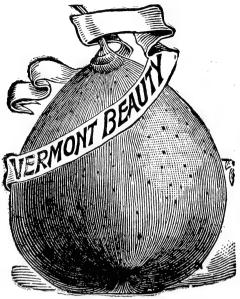
### MONTMORENCY A valuable market sort; ten days later than E. Rich-mond. Splendid for canning. Very large, dark red; rich flavor. Splendid for home or commercial planting. Price, 50 cents each; \$5.00 per dozen. Mailing size, 30 cents each; \$3.00 per dozen. OTHER GOOD VARIETIES Dye House

Early Richmond Eng. Morello Montmorency May Duke,
Yellow Spanish
Gov. Wood
Black Tartarian
Large Trees—
(By express.)
Each, 50 cents;
dozen, \$5.00.

Mailing Size— Each, 30 cents; dozen, \$3.00.







#### THE BEST PEARS

Vermont Beauty Pear—The fruit approaches that most delicious Pear, the Seckel. It is full-medium size, yellow; flesh melting, rich, juicy, aromatic. Price, first-class, 40 cents each; \$4.00 per dozen; medium, 30 cents each; \$3.00 per dozen.

Rossney—In size medium to large; very fine grained, flesh melting, juicy, very sweet. Ripens two weeks after Bartlett. Price, first-class, 50 cents each; second-class, 40 cents each.

#### **GENERAL LIST OF PEARS**

Each Large Trees—5 to 7 feet, by express.....35c
Medium Size—4 to 5 feet, by express....30c
Mailing Size (postpaid).....25c
Bartlett, Clapp's Favorite, Lawson, Wilder, K
Flemish Beauty, Duchess, Idaho, Kleffer,
Seckel, Tyson. \$3.50 3.00 .300 .25c z.c. ler. Koontz,

#### THE BEST PEACHES

Matthews' Beauty—A large, yellow Peach. Fruit is of the largest size; skin a beautiful golden-yellow; flesh firm, of excellent flavor, freestone. Ripens about two or three weeks after Elberta, at a season when Peaches of this class bring high prices in the market. Price, first-class, 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen; \$12.00 per 100. Medium, 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen; \$12.00 per 100. Small, mailing size, 20 cents each, postpaid. Admiral Dewey—The Admiral Dewey is a perfect freestone Peach. The flesh is of uniform color and texture to the pit. The tree is strong, symmetrical growth and as near perfection as we can obtain in a single variety. Price, 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen; mail size, postpaid, 20 cents each.

#### STANDARD VARIETIES

Each Dozen 

#### BEST QUINCES

Price, mailing size, 25 cents; first-class, two years, 30 cents each, \$3.00 per dozen, by express.

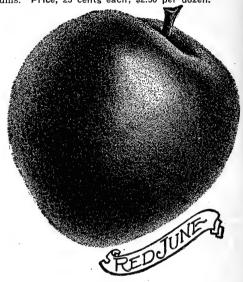
Meech's Prolific — Good grower, productive, bears young, fruit large, yellow, showy; good for cooking. Orange — Large, roundish, bright golden-yellow; cooks tender, and is of excellent flavor; very productive; the most popular and extensively cultivated variative. October riety. October.

#### APRICOT

Harris Hardy-"The Harris Apricot is being largely grown for commercial purposes, and is a market success. The fruit is fully as large as the best Apricot grown in California, and so much better quality as to make and hold a place in the market against the very best from California." Price, 25 cents each; \$3.50 per dozen.

#### NECTARINE

A most delicious smooth-skinned fruit which thrives wherever peaches will grow, but is liable to be stung by the curculio, and requires the same treatment as plums. Price, 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen.



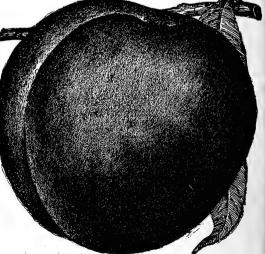
#### **RED JUNE PLUM**

This is one of the finest of the Japanese Plums. Bears at two years, very early and prolific. Price same as other varieties.

#### GENERAL LIST OF PLUMS

Each Dozen \$3.50 Large Trees—5 to 7 feet, by express....35c
Medium Trees—4 to 5 feet, by express ...30c
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Abundance,
Green Gage,
Golden Drop, German Prune,
Moore's Arctic Niagara,
Ped June, Pond's Seedling, Lombard, Imp. Gage, Shipper's Pride, Shrop Damson,



Matthews' Beauty Peach.

### SMALI

Our line of Small Fruits is the finest in the country. This class of goods can all be sent by mail, postpaid, if desired. Note carefully the amount extra for postage if wanted sent in that way.

### **STRAWBERRIES**



Repeater

New Strawberry. (Two Crops Produced in One Season.)

Fruit has been picked in the open field in September from the same plants that produced a bounteous crop in June. The fruit is June. The fruit is very large when well grown, a glossy-crimson, delicious crimson, delicious flavor, and a great point in its favor is that it is very easily hulled. It is a perfect blossomed variety, medium to late. Price, 50c per dozen, by mail; \$2.00 per hundred, by express.

#### New Varieties of Strawberries

Price, 50 cents per dozen by mail; 100 for \$1.50 by express. If wanted by mail add 20 cents per 100, Pineapple, Rough Rider, Corsican, Sunshine, Marie, Uncle Jim.

#### General List of Strawberries

Price, by mail, 25 cents per dozen; by express, 75 cents per 100; \$6.00 per 1,000. If wanted by mail add 20 cents per 100 extra.

Dunlap, Beder Wood, Bismarck, Greenville (p.), Haverland (p.), N. Ohmer, Brandywine, Clyde, Dayton, Gandy, Staples, Wm. Belt, Bubach (p.), Crescent (p.), Excelsior, Glen Mary, Lovett, Marshall, Sample (p.), Warfield (p.).

### THE BEST CURRANTS



Pomona Currant.

No garden is com-lete without them. plete y to grow and to bear. Our comprises only Easy sure the very best in cultivation.

NEW VARIETIES Red Cross, Pomona and Wilder.

Price, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen, postpaid. OTHER VALUABLE VARIETIES

Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen, post-paid; \$6.00 per 100, by express. If wanted by mail, add 40 cents per 100 for postage.

Cherry, Fay's Prolific, Red Dutch, Victoria, White Grape, North Star.

#### VALUABLE \$1.00 CURRANT COLLECTION

We will send by mail, postpaid, two plants each of the following named extra fine Currants, best of the list, for ONLY \$1.00: Two Wilder, two Red Cross, two Pomona, two Fay's Prolific, two White Grape and two North Star—twelve plants in all for only \$1.00. Or, we will send twelve plants of each by express (not prepaid) for only \$5.00. This is a grand collection and should be in every garden. They succeed everywhere.

### LUSCIOUS BLACKBERRIES



Taylor's Prolific Blackberry.

Our stock of Blackberries is as fine as can be had, regular money-making kinds, Yielding large, luscious fruit. Each. Doz. 100

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Eldorado	.10c	\$0.50	\$2.50
Ancient Briton.	.10c	.50	1.50
lceberg (White)		1.00	6.00
Kittatinny	.10c	.50	1.50
Mersereau	.20c	1.00	5.00
Ohmer		.75	3.00
Early King	.20c	1.00	3.00
Rathburn	.20c	1.00	6.00
Snyder	.10c	.50	1.50
Taylor's Prolific	. 10c	.50	1.50
Wilson, Jr	.10c	.50	1.50
Wilson's Early.	.10c	.50	1.50
Wauchusetts	. 15c	.75	3.00

OTE—We can send Blackberries by mail in any quantity if 40 cents per 100 extra is added for post-

#### GOOSEBERRIES

Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen, postpaid. Varieties—Houghton, Downing, Smith's Imp, Red Jacket, Pearl, Industry, Chautauqua, Columbus.



Loudon Red Raspberry.

#### THE BEST RASPBERRIES

If wanted by Mail add 40 cents per 100 for postage.

If wanted by Mail add 40 cents per 100 for postage. Earhart Everbearing—One of the best of the everbearing Raspberries, producing a moderate crop on last year's canes at the usual season, and a second crop in September upon the new canes. The plants are vigorous and healthy. The fruit is glossy-black; quite firm. Price, 25c each; \$2.00 per dozen, postpaid. King Raspberry—The earliest Red Raspberry on record. It is the early Red Raspberry that makes the big money—often selling for 25 cents per quart. You want to add this one to your collection. Round, medium size; light crimson color; moderately firm and of excellent quality. The King Raspberry is fine indeed.—large, firm, beautiful color, prolific, and all that can be desired in the way of an early Red Raspberry. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen by mail, or \$3.00 per 100 by express. per 100 by express.

OTHER VALUABLE NEW RASPBERRIES

10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen by mail, or \$3.00 per 100

by expres. Cumberland, Cardinal, Gault, Munger, Haymaker. GENERAL LIST OF RASPBERRIES

Price, 50 cents per dozen; \$1.50 per 100. Add 40 cents per 100 if wanted by mail. By the dozen, postage paid. Eureka, Gregg, Lotta, Palmer. Souhegan, Conrath, Kansas, Ohio.

#### RED AND PURPLE VARIETIES

Shaffer Col, Tu Marlborough, Brandywine, Miller, Cuthbert, Turner. Hansel, Loudon, Columbian, Rancocas.



Downing's Everbearing Mulberry.

### MULBERRY TREES

#### DOWNING'S EVERBEARING

A fine rapid growing tree with large foliage and attractive for the lawn, and at the same time bears a delicious fruit for about three months. (See cut.) Price, five to six feet, 60 cents; \$6.00 per dozen; small trees, postpaid, 25 cents each.

#### **NEW AMERICAN**

Fruit large, black, of fine quality and tree vigorous, a good bearer and highly ornamental for the lawn. Price, five to six feet, 75 cents; \$8.00 per dozen; small trees, postpaid, 35 cents each.

#### RUSSIAN

Tree a rapid grower and considered very hardy and valuable for timber. The fruit is of medium size and good. The foliage is abundant and said to be valuable for silk culture. Price, five to six feet, 30 cents each; \$3.00 per dozen; small, postpaid, 10 cents

## Some Choice Fruit Novelties ..

The Logan Berry—A hybrid between the Raspberry and Blackberry. The Logan Berry—A hybrid between the Raspberry and Blackberry. The fruit is as large as the largest Blackberry, and is produced in immense clusters. The color is a clear, dark red. It partakes of the flavor of both the Blackberry and the Raspberry—mild, pleasant, vinous flavor, delicious and peculiar to this berry alone. Seed small, soft and few. Berries very firm, and carry well. Strong grower; enormous bearer. Fruit ripens early, just after Strawberries. Price, 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen, by mail, postpaid. Crystal White Blackberry—Berries of fine, translucent white, of good size, sweet and pleasant. Canes prolific, but not entirely hardy. Should be planted near other sorts to fruit well. Price, 10c each; 75c per dozen.



#### VALUABLE NOVELTY COLLECTION Only \$1.50

We will send one nice plant of each of the Eleven Choice Fruit Novelties, here offered, by express (not prepaid), for only \$1.50, or four nice plants of each for



Japanese Wineberry.

\$2.50 per dozen.

\$2.50 per dozen.

Japanese Wineberry—This interesting plant belongs to the Raspberry family. The fruit is borne in large clusters and each berry is at first tightly enveloped by the large callyx, forming a sort of burr. For jelly making, canning and preserving it is without an equal. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen, by mail, postpaid.

New Dewberry Premo—Much like Lucretia, but very distinct, and exceedingly early, being seven to ten days ahead and all cleaned off when Lucretia is beginning. Quality and size uniform. Was found in a Lucretia patch. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

Huckleberries—The Fluckleberry is a most excellent berry to grow needing no

Huckleberries—The Huckleberry is a most excellent berry to grow, needing no cultivating after being established. Set it in partial shade. Berries fine for pies and canning, very prolific and should be in every garden. Price, 10 cents each or

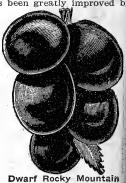
\$1.00 per dozen, postpaid.

Garden Elderberry—Everyone is fond of Elderberries. Cruiting and producing the finest berries. Try a few bushes. Ours are selected for s. Price, 10 cents each;

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Paw Paw or Northern Banana—Grows everywhere and produces large fruit resembling the Banana. Price, 25 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen, postpaid.

Sassafras—Valuable as an ornamental tree and the roots are fine for making tea, which is highly prized as a beverage and spring medicine. Price, 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen, by mail.

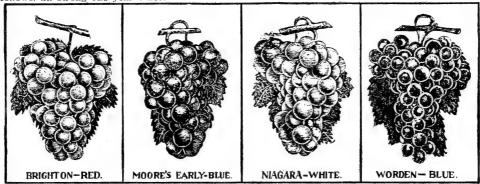


Cherry.

#### ONE STRONG VINE OF EACH. OUR CHAMPION GRAPE COLLECTION POSTPAID, FOR \$1.00.

If extra heavy vines are wanted by express, we can send largest size for only \$1.25 for the collection, or by mail for \$1.50.

This is the same collection we offered last spring. So great was the demand for it and it gave such universal satisfaction that we have decided to hold the offer open another year. The collection consists of eight of the very finest grapes grown. Just the thing for the home garden or for covering an arbor. The eight varieties are as follows. all strong one year vines:



Champion—(Blue.) One of the earliest to ripen, practically free from rot or other disease, strong grower, compact bunches, quality fair, size medium. It succeeds anywhere, and is good for covering arbor. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Wyoming—(Red.) A popular market sort. Berry small; quality good; very productive and hardy, resembling Delaware somewhat; valuable for home use or market. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Brighton—(Red.) One of the best red grapes in cultivation. Bunch large and compact; a strong grower and very productive: guality good. Price, 15

cultivation. Bunch large and compact; a strong grower and very productive; quality good. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Moore's Diamond—(White.) The color is a delicate greenish-white, with a rich yellow tinge when ripe. Very few seeds, juicy, and almost entirely free from pulp, which makes it almost transparent. Berry size of Concord and two weeks earlier. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen. each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Concord—(Blue.) An old variety, does well everywhere planted; good size; productive. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

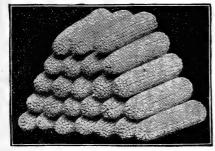
Worden—(Blue.) A valuable black grape ripening from three days to a week before Concord. Berry large, of good quality; thin skin; very productive; vine a strong grower. The most popular black grape grown today. It comes in early enough to avoid the rush of Concords, thus brings one to three cents per pound more. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Moore's Early—(Blue.) A large black grape, ripening a week earlier than Concord; good grower; berries large, good quality, and makes a moderate yield; very valuable as an early grape. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

\$1.50 per dozen.

Niagara—(White.) The most popular white grape in existence. Fruit large and very productive; a good grower; ripening same season as Concord; equally good; valuable in every way. Price, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

#### FINE SEED CORN



CASH—A new deep grained yellow corn with the smallest cob of any variety known. The ear is large, well filled at butt and tip ends, with beautiful golden deep grains. This corn is beyond doubt the best feeding corn in existence. Matures in 100 to 110 days. Shells easily as early as September. It certainly is the ideal corn. Every one will buy it for seed that sees it. Price, 50 cents per pint, postpaid; \$1.00 per peck; \$3.00 per bushel, freight or express.

#### MELLEN'S EARLIEST POTATO



This grand new potato is fully two weeks earlier than Early Ohio. Round, good yielder and cooker. Just the thing for the early garden. Price of eyes same as other varieties.

#### POTATO EYES -- POSTPAID

Only 25 cents for 12 eyes; 50 cents for 50 eyes; \$1.00 for 150 eyes. EXTRA FINE SEED POTATOES-NEATLY PACKED AND SURE TO GROW. We have an extra fine lot of the very finest seed potatoes that we of-fer our customers in a small way that they may get a start of some of the newer kinds. We cut out the eyes with a small piece of potato and send to you postpaid at price named. Grow some of our fine potatoes in your postpand at price named. Grow some of our in your garden this year and excel your neighbors. We offer the following fine varieties: Mellen's Earliest, Early Six Weeks, Seneca Beauty, Piqua Chief (new), Early Ohio and Carman. Save high express and freight rate, also secure safe arrival in the coldest weather. We are prepared to furnish good, sound Potato Ever of the varieties we offer peaked and Potato Eyes of the varieties we offer packed and sent postpaid at price above given.

# Beautiful Shade and Ornamental Trees FOR STREET, ROADSIDE AND PARK

Deautify your homes and add comfort and value to your property by planting trees. He is truly a benefactor who plants and rears a tree where only weeds grew before.



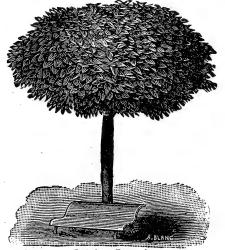
Horse Chestnut.

#### HORSE CHESTNUT

A very beautiful, well known tree, with round, dense head, dark green foliage, and an abundance of showy flowers in early spring, and bears beautiful brown nuts in autumn, the delight of children. Price, six to eight feet, \$1.00 each; \$10.00 per dozen.

#### CATALPA BUNGEI

Grafted on stems six to eight feet high, it makes an umbrella-shaped top without pruning. Perfectly hardy and flourishes in almost all soils and climates. Leaves large, glossy, heart-shaped, deep green; lay like shingles on a roof; always making a symmetrical head. Desirable for lawn, park and cemetery planting. Price, six to eight feet, each, \$1.00.



Catalpa Bungei.

#### CAROLINA POPLAR

One of the most rapid growing trees; with large, deep green leaves that are glossy and handsome. Excellent for street planting; especially desirable in large cities, where it resists smoke and gas. Eight to ten feet, 50 cents each, \$5.00 per dozen, \$35.00 per 100.

#### ORNAMENTAL TREES

Ash, American White-8 to 10 feet\$0.7	5
Beech, Purple-Leaved—3 to 4 feet	Õ
Birch, Cut-Leaved Weeping-5 to 6 feet 1.0	
Catalpa Speciosa—8 to 10 feet	
Dogwood, White-Flowering—8 to 10 feet	
Elm, American—8 to 10 feet	
Linden, American—6 to 8 feet	
Magnolia—4 to 6 feet	
Maple, Ash-Leaved—6 to 8 feet	
Mulberry, Teas' Weeping-2-year heads 1.5	ō
Poplar, Lombard	
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Poplar, Volga-(New.) See page 95	
Willow, Kilmarnock—6 to 7 feet, 2-year heads 1.0	
White Fringe-3 to 4 feet	
Purple Fringe-3 to 4 feet	
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Norway Maple.

#### NORWAY MAPLE

One of the finest for street planting or for single specimens on the lawn for permanent shade. It grows slow, but is a beauty when once well started. It makes a beautiful dense shade. Top round and symmetrical. Thrives everywhere. Price, eight to ten feet, \$1.00 each.

#### AMERICAN WHITE ELM

A magnificent, stately tree, with wide spreading head and drooping branches. Price, 75 cents.

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Pine, Scotch—2 to 3 feet35c	
Pine, White—2 to 3 feet	
Spruce, Hemlock—18 to 24 inches35c	
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Irish Juniper—18 to 24 inches50c	

#### SEEDLING TREES

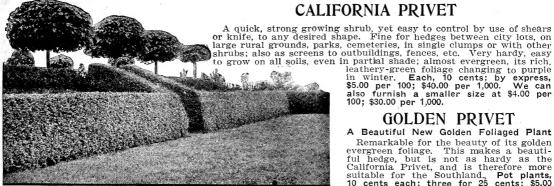
For Windbreaks, Screens, Posts, Fuel, Railroad Ties, Etc.

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Catalpa Speciosa—12 to 18 in25c	\$1.50	\$10.00
Black Locust25c	1.50	10.00
Russian Mulberry20c	1.25	8.00
Black Walnut40c	3.00	20.00
Soft Maple20c	1.25	8,00
Plant all waste places, roadsides, cre-		
hills etc., to this quick growing tim	ber. It	will be

worth \$100 to \$200 per acre in ten to twelve years.

#### Hedges, Screens and Fences -

Nothing adds so much to a home as a beautiful California Privet Hedge. Almost evergreen.



California Privet.

### GOLDEN PRIVET

A Beautiful New Golden Foliaged Plant Remarkable for the beauty of its golden

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POPLAR

#### VOLGA POPLAR

The new shade tree for lawn and street planting. One does not want to wait a lifetime for shade, and there is no other tree that will make the rapid growth of the Volga Poplar. Tall, stately, symmetrical, forming a beautiful top and the leaves are of a waxy-green, making it one of the very best of the quick growing kinds. Notice the cut and see how the leaves hold up to October 15th. Compare this with the other tree by its side. We have beautiful trees ten feet high. Price, 50 cents each; \$5.00 per dozen; \$35.00 per 100.

CAROLINA and LOMBARDY POPLAR same price.

### GARDEN ROOTS

ASPARAGUS

Price, 50 cents per dozen, postpaid; by express, \$1.25 per 100; \$8.00 per 1,000.

Donald's Elmira, Palmetto, Barr's Mammoth, Conover's Colossal, Columbian Mammoth White.

#### RHUBARB or PIE PLANT

Linnaeus—Large, early, tender and fine. The very best of all.

Price, 15 cents each; eight for \$1.00 postpaid; \$4.00 per 100 by express.

Queen—Strong, vigorous grower, producing extra large stalks of finest quality of a decided pink color. For canning or cooking in any way in quality is unsurpassed. Price, 15 cents each; eight for \$1.00 postpaid; \$4.00 per 100 by express.



A new variety which is proving to be a veritable gold mine to market gardeners; a rapid grower of very large roots. It is much earlier than the old variety of Horseradish and produces a much larger crop, and as it matures so much earlier than the old variety, growers are able to get their crop into the market while prices are high, making it the most profitable of all root crops of this class. Easy to grow, matures quickly and produces abundantly. Should be in every commercial and home garden. Price of good, strong roots, 25 cents per dozen; \$1.25 per 100, postpaid; \$10.00 per 1,000 by express.

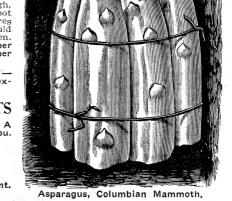
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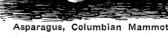


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Only \$2.00 by express (not prepaid), or \$2.50 by mail, postpaid. A complete garden collection of health giving roots sure to please you. 25 Donald's Elmira Asparagus 25 Palmetto Asparagus 25 Columbian White Asparagus 25 Columbian White Asparagus 25 Columbian White Asparagus 25 Queen Rhubarb 6 Horseradish, Common

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